Weather

Fine and colder. The maximum temperature yesterday was 55.4 and the minimum 37.8, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 42.3 and 29.8.

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OPIUM MONOPOLY IN HUNAN SOLD FOR $500,000 MONTHLY

Nefarious Trade Revived As Result Of Governors' Plight

HAD TO HAVE MONEY

Militarists, In Dire Straits To Pay Soldiers, Sell "Right"

(Staff Correspondence)

Hankow, Feb. 21.—The Hunan government authorities have sold the opium monopoly in Hunan province to the highest of the number of anxious bidders, who signed an agreement with the governors binding himself to pay the former $500,000 every month in consideration of the monopoly. The winner of the nefarious auction of opium monopoly is Hsia Tou-ying, a former military commander of Hupeh.

Opium business had been flourishing in Hunan province before the grant of monopoly by government, and so-called soldiers and their commanders were the chief profiteers. Most of the chief commanders used to make over $100,000 a year, while those underlings who helped in the job also found the business more than remunerative. In fact opium smuggling is considered a get-rich-quick method in Hunan.

Recently the Hunan government officials were in direful need of money to pay their troops and to carry on the provincial government administration. In an attempt to cut off some of the superfluous troops, they intended to revive the former military system of defense commissioners to replace the present system of divisional troops. But contrary to their expectations, when they had established this system, they found it impossible to do away with the existing divisional troops, and therefore the provincial troops have been increased instead of decreased. Meanwhile the military budget has to be figured something like $1,600,000 instead of $800,000 a year.

Another cause contributing to the breakdown of the financial stability of Hunan is the fact that officials had drawn over $150,000 from the Hunan Commercial Bank, newly formed by the Changsha Chamber of Commerce in conjunction with the officials. After the Chinese New Year holidays, this bank was unable to open its doors for business on account of shortage of funds. Thus a panic followed endangering the commercial bank to the state of bankruptcy.

The proposal of granting a provincial opium monopoly was then suggested to the governors and duly accepted. All bidders rushed to the governor's yamen to buy the monopoly, and thus began another chapter of unpleasant stories of Hunan history.

Eight Killed In Tramcar Collision

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Feb. 23.—Eight persons were burned to death and 25 injured in the collision and burning of two tramcars at Shelton, Connecticut, following the explosion of a can of gasoline on the platform of one of the cars. Several children were among the victims.

Exchange Levels In Empire Maintained

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 23.—In the House of Commons today, replying to a question regarding the policy for governing the inter-Imperial exchanges, Mr. Bonar Law declared that in the case of colonies and protectorates, so far as possible, the Government maintained the stability of the exchange in relation to sterling unless it were more advantageous to the colonies in question to link up their exchange with another area.

England Collects Big Excess Profit

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb 23.—The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Austen Chamberlain, announces that after providing £10,000,000 for refunds, and approximately a million pounds for interest as for prepayment, the net amount of the Excess Profits Duty paid the Exchequer from April 1, 1920, to February 19, 1921, was £191,000,000.

Bethlehem President Sells Steel Only For "Open Shop" Jobs

EUGENE G. Grace, president of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation and the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation, photographed on the witness stand before the Lockwood committee investigating housing conditions in New York. Mr. Grace, under questioning by Samuel Untermeyer, attorney for the committee, admitted that his corporation had refused to sell steel in Philadelphia and New York except to contractors who agreed not to use it in construction in which union men were engaged. Mr. Grace defended the policy of the Bethlehem corporation to sell to "open shops" only on the ground that it was "self protection."

FRENCH EXPORTS SHOW BIG GAINS, IMPORTS SHRINK

Purchases Only Ten Percent More Than Sales, Figures Reveal

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 23.—The recovery of French foreign trade is progressing remarkably, remarks "l'Avenir." Imports for the month of January totalled 1,982,000,000 francs as compared with 2,495,000,000 francs for January, 1920. Total exports for last month reached 1,823,000,000 francs as compared with 1,018,000,000 francs in January, 1920.

The decrease of shipments into the country amounts to 20 percent while shipments abroad have increased 85 percent. These two movements combine to affect the balance of trade advantageously to France. Whilst the discrepancy between imports and exports was 150 percent in January, 1920, it was only 10 percent last month, and before long, exports will be in excess of imports.

As regards imports, all classes of goods show a decrease. A comparison of statistics for last month and the previous January shows that good food products have shrunk from 671,000,000 to 347,000,000 francs, raw materials from 1,164,000,000 to 1,101,000,000 francs, manufactured articles from 660,000,000 to 535,000,000 francs.

With French exports, the reverse is the case. The value of food products exported has increased from 140,000,000 francs to 189,000,000 francs, that of raw materials from 243,000,000 to 436,000,000 francs, manufactured articles from 605,000,000 francs to 1,142,000,000 francs.

The detailed figures are as encouraging as the grand totals.

Plague Menace Moves Southward

(Staff Correspondence)

Peking, Feb. 22.—The pneumonic plague has found its way as far south as Changchun, according to reports from Japanese sources. The suspect recently held by the sanitary authorities there has proved to be an actual case. Three ill persons, who are suspected of the disease, have been found in a third-class coach of a South Manchuria Railway train and taken off at Changchun. Following a conference of the Chinese and Japanese sanitary authorities regarding the incident, all the third-class passengers of the train were placed in isolated detention.

COUNCIL REPEATS DICTUM TOUCHING CHINESE ADVISORS

Municipal Body Uncompromising In Attitude Toward Nominees

REGULATION MUST GO

Cancellation Of Disputed Rule Made Sole Condition

The Municipal Council, in a communication yesterday, reiterated its previous statement regarding the acceptance of the nominees for the Chinese Advisory Committee, taking an uncompromising stand for the abolition of the disputed regulation contained in the articles of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association.

The regulation in question is that covering the election of the members of the Advisory body, the Council holding that the regulation would tend to make the Committee dependent in its actions upon the Association.

The text of the letter directed to the Chairman of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce yesterday follows:

February 24, 1921.

Sir:

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 22, forwarding a copy of a letter dated February 19, from Dr. C. T. Wang, Chairman of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association, in further reference to the nominations for membership of the Chinese Advisory Committee.

In reply I am directed to request that you may kindly impress upon Dr. Wang that whatever may be the interpretation intended to the placed upon Regulation 6 of the Association, the Council can only have regard to what the Regulation does actually mean. It is not a question of intention, but of fact, and therefore no declaration by any meeting of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association can in any way modify the Council's objection to the Regulation in question. When the Regulation has been cancelled, and only then, will the Council consent to transmit to the Consular Body the five nominations which were submitted in your letter of November 24, 1920.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.

The Chairman,
Chinese General Chamber
of Commerce.

China, Bound For U.S. Is Due Here Monday

The steamer China of the China Mail is due to sail from Hongkong today and should arrive off Woosung early next Monday morning. The tender with incoming passengers and mails is due to arrive at the Customs Jetty Monday morning at an hour not yet announced. The tender with outbound passengers and mails will leave the jetty in the afternoon. The China sails for San Francisco by way of Japan ports and Honolulu.

Lawyers Admitted In American Court

Messrs. Quintin Paredes and Merle R. Walker were admitted to the bar in the American Court for China yesterday morning by Judge C. S. Lobingier. In granting the application of Mr. Paredes Judge Lobingier said it was particularly gratifying to him to extend this privilege, recalling that it was more than a decade ago when he was associated at Manila with Mr. Paredes, who was then an assistant prosecuting attorney. Mr. Paredes is now Secretary of Justice for the Philippines and formerly was Attorney General at Manila.

Mr. Walker came to Shanghai from New York where he practised law from 1916 until recently.

U.S. To Bar Fruits From The Far East

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

Washington, Feb. 24.—Quarantine, to become effective on April 1, will be imposed on fruits and vegetables from India, the Philippines, Ceylon and Java, owing to the danger of the black citrus fly pest.

Postal Robbers Got $1,600,000

U. S. Naval Radio through Reuter

Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 24.—The Post Office inspectors who are investigating the recent robbery at the Toledo Post Office declare that the loot stolen by the five bandits concerned amounts to approximately $1,600,000.

EX-SHANGHAI MAN NEW N. Y. K. HEAD

Yonejiro Ito, Connected With Shanghai Office For Eight Years, Is President

Yonejiro Ito, for eight years connected with the Shanghai office of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, has been chosen president of the company to succeed the late Baron Kondo.

Mr. Ito was sub-manager and later manager here and was later transferred to London where he was stationed until four years ago when he was appointed director and later vice president.

Langdon Incident Closed, Colby Says

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Feb. 23.—Following on the verdict in the case of Lieutenant Langdon, the Japanese Government has again expressed regret in a note which says that while the court-martial found that the sentry had complied with his orders, he had been sentenced to a month's confinement to barracks for testifying falsely at his trial. The Japanese Commander, at Vladivostok, the Note adds, has been removed and degraded and four other officers punished.

Mr. Colby, the Secretary of State, has declared that Japan in publishing a paraphrase of the Note to America, acted promptly and sincerely. The Note, he said, will undoubtedly be received with general satisfaction in the United States. Official circles regard the incident as closed, except for the matter of reparation.

Protests Against Jap Fishery Seizure

(Reuter's Service)

Chita, Feb. 23.—M. Krasnoshchekoff, in the course of a Government report, dwelled on Japan's actions in the Far East, particularly in regard to her appropriation of Russian fisheries, and announced his intention of protesting.

The Chief of the Russo-Japanese Commission has received a protest from the head of the district militia, requesting Japanese permission and assistance for the disarmament of General Kappell's officers and soldiers, on the ground that they are not submitting to the laws of the country, besides having no right to carry arms without permission, they being regarded by a Japanese declaration as refugees. Furthermore, it is urged that if they are not disarmed serious consequences may ensue.

Szechuen Province To Be Independent

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Chengtu, Feb. 23. (Delayed).—General Liu Tsen-hou has retired, and it is now probable that Szechuen will declare its independence from both Peking and Canton.

The post of Tuchun has been abolished, and the following new officers appointed: Tan Mou-hsien Civil Governor; Liu Hsiang Commander-in-Chief, and Liu Yu-chiu Second in Command. The two former are at present at Chungking and the last-named at Chengtu.

It is not anticipated that there will be any further general fighting, though local hostilities may take place in northern Szechuen, owing to the presence of Liu Tsen-hou's troops, pending their final disposal.

Mail Fliers Cross U.S. In 34 Hours

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Feb. 23.—Postal aviators have arrived at the Hazelhurst aerodrome on Long Island with mails from San Francisco, which, it is estimated, were conveyed thence in thirty-three hours and twenty minutes.

DRIVE FOR FUNDS FOR FAMINE AID BEGINS MARCH 11

Local Campaign Will Be Launched At Mass Meeting

TO HAVE PARADE

Theatricals, Balls And A Tag Day To Be Features

The Shanghai drive for funds for famine relief will be launched on March 11 and will continue until and including March 19, it was announced last evening following a meeting of the Executive Committee at which plans were discussed.

The local drive will be inaugurated with a monster mass meeting, to be held in some hall to be designated later, and the program for the week following will include intensive campaigning by teams of solicitors, balls, theatricals, a tag day and a parade through the streets of the Settlement. Details of the program are being worked out by sub-committees which were named at yesterday's meeting.

The Chinese-Foreign Famine Relief Association has placed its staff of workers and its offices on the Bund at the disposal of the Drive Committee and has offered to advance any money which may be necessary to get the campaign under way, until such time as the Drive Committee can reimburse it.

Several additional officers were elected yesterday. Among these were Mr. Chu Pao-san, who was named to act with General Ho Feng-ling and Sir Everard Fraser as honorary presidents, and Mr. A. Brooke-Smith, chairman of the Municipal Council, Mr. de la Prade, chairman of the French Municipal Council, and Mr. C. F. Hsu, Special Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, who will act as honorary vice-presidents.

The chairmen of the sub-committees selected were: Publicity—Mr. Benton Sanders; Finance—Mr. H. G. Stitt, manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, and Mr. H. C. Sung, manager of the Bank of China; Solicitation—Mr. Loh Pah-hung; Lotteries and Race Days—Mr. H. Wilden.

The Publicity sub-committee will have charge of the advertising of the campaign, the mass meeting and the parade, and the Committee on Solicitation will arrange the tag day—which will be the final day of the drive and will be participated in by the Students' Union—the theatricals, balls and the plan of team canvassing for subscriptions.

Messrs. C. Y. Sung and K. S. Shih, of the Tientsin Committee, who are at present in Shanghai were elected to serve on the General Committee here. The Executive Committee will meet again next Thursday to hear the report of the sub-committees on the detailed arrangements.

SALT GABELLE GIVES $500,000 TO FAMINE FUND

(Staff Wire to THE CHINA PRESS)

Peking, Feb. 24.—Pan Fu, director-general and Sir Reginald Gamble, inspector-general of the Salt Gabelle, today donated the sum of $500,000 from the proceeds of the special sales of salt in Manchuria towards the national famine relief drive. The large donations in Peking now total $623,000 with the small gifts still not accounted for.

Manchester Gives To Famine Relief

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

London, Feb. 23.—In Manchester and its district an effort on behalf of the China Famine Relief Fund has been launched. A Committee has been appointed to organise an appeal, and £4,000 has already been promised. The Chairman, Sir Edwin Stockton, said that commercial relations between China and Lancashire placed Lancashire under an obligation to assist the sufferers in the East.

Mr. Geary Gardner, Chairman of the Famine Relief Committee, paid a tribute to the wonderful way in which the Chinese Government is meeting the situation.

Tsingtau, Feb. 21.—The Famine Relief Drive started here yesterday. The first day's subscriptions amounted to at least $30,000.

Sees After 18 Years Of Blindness

TOTALLY blind for nearly eighteen years, John G. Henry, of Chicago, has been cured and the other day saw his first movie. The small boy enjoying his first circus had nothing on Mr. Henry when he saw a comedian cut up on the screen. Mr. Henry was blinded and paralyzed in a fight with a burglar in 1902. He was pronounced incurable. In 1917 a Chicago specialist became interested in his case and about a year ago Mr. Henry began to see again—dimly. Recently he was pronounced cured and the photo shows him enjoying his first movie show. His faithful wife is shown beside him.

ORGANISATION OF SHANGHAI FLIERS WILL BE FORMED

Aeronautical Society Here To Affiliate With International Federation

Some two-score flying men, most of them with wartime aviation records and a number technical aeronautical experts, launched the Shanghai Aeronautical Society yesterday at a meeting that was held in the office of Mr. J. H. Underwood, who is temporarily acting as honorary secretary of the organisation.

The formation of the Society is to be completed at an approaching general meeting in the next several weeks when a constitution will be adopted and permanent officers and an executive committee named. Preparations for this meeting are being made by a temporary executive body that was named yesterday.

In the absense of Major W. R. McBain, who is in Sumatra, Mr. G. J. Morley-Peel acted as Chairman yesterday. Those elected to the temporary executive committee are Dr. H. A. Chatley and Messrs. R. H. Wallace, R. N. Swann, W. E. Holland, K. Tang, A. Corrit, G. J. Morley-Peel and J. H. Underwood.

A general outline of the aims of the new body was presented in a statement to the meeting by Mr. R. N. Swann. It was held that an important initial step will be to obtain affiliation with the International Aeronautical Federation which, in accordance with international agreement, holds control over international flying, determining routes, methods and the general practise to be followed in aviation throughout the world.

It was announced that the new organisation plans a broad scope of activities with the purpose of fostering and promoting flying. In this connection it was stated that a series of lectures on aeronautical subjects will be arranged in coming weeks.

The new Society is to be international in character and membership and will be open to all interested in aviation in any of its branches. Those who desire to apply for membership or attend the general meeting are asked to communicate with the honorary secretary, Mr. Underwood.

The date of the general meeting will be announced shortly.

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Jan. 24 (by mail).—New Zealand will soon inaugurate an aeroplane mail service, modeled after that in use by the United States Post Office, according to Mr. J. B. Murphy, of Timarou, New Zealand, who came here to see demonstrations of various aircraft. The company with which he is connected has signed a contract for carrying aerial mails. Sight-seeing over Mount Cook by aeroplane is also contemplated, Mr. Murphy said.

INDECISION OF TURKS STIR IRE AT CONFERENCE

British Provoked By Their Failure To Present Concrete Case

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 23.—Dissatisfaction is expressed in British circles at the dilatoriness of the Turkish delegation, as it was shown at today's meeting of the Conference, that, despite the fact that they have had months in which to consider the matter, they are unable to advance a concrete case.

The German delegates who are coming to London on Saturday are at present in a similar state of indecision, the experts on the sub-Commission disagreeing as regards the recommendations to be made.

London, Feb. 23.—The rival Turkish delegations attended this morning's conference which adjoured till tomorrow after sitting for an hour.

An official communique says that Tewfik Pasha and Bekir Sam Bey both expounded the general principles of restoration of peace in the East, and were invited to specify in a more concrete form their views regarding the points in the Treaty of Serves, which they desire to have modified.

London, Feb. 23.—It is announced that M. Venizelos will shortly hold a conference with M. Callogeropoulos to discuss the best means of retaining for Greece the advantages conferred by the Treaty of Sevres.

London, Feb. 23.—M. Stambulisky, the Bulgarian Premier, is to accompany King Boris on a visit to America this summer.

Paris, Feb. 23.—A statement issued by the Reparations Commission generally confirms the figures previously quoted regarding Germany's estimated debts to the Allies for reparations, but shows that the claims of the British Empire total £2,542,000,000 (instead of £2,500,000,000) whereof the biggest items are £736,000,000 for shipping and 1,706,000,000 for personal damages, including military pensions claims, while Japan's claim is 832,000,000 yen (instead of 700,000,000 yen as previously estimated).

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 23.—M. Briand, accompanied by General Gouraud, went yesterday morning to lay a palm on the grave of the "unknown British soldier" in Westminster Abbey, and flowers on the Cenotaph to the British dead in Whitehall.

STERLING RATE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 23.—The closing rate of sterling quoted on the Paris Bourse today was 53.60.

BULLETS AND TORCH USED IN REPRISAL OUTBREAKS

Twenty Houses Burned By Avengers In County Kerry

SEVERAL KILLED

Stores And Schools In Donegal Closed; Citizens Flee

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 24.—A serious outbreak of reprisals is reported from Ireland. Twenty houses at Ballylongford, co. Kerry, were destroyed by fire after two auxiliaries had been killed in an ambush, and nine houses and shops were burned down at Rosslea, co. Fermanagh, following the shooting of a Unionist merchant.

Following an ambush of the Crown forces at Mount Charles, Donegal, a pitched battle occurred in the streets. A girl and a policeman were shot dead, and a number of buildings were burned down. Business is suspended and the schools closed. The majority of the inhabitants have fled to neighboring villages.

London, Feb. 24.—Commandant Crozier, who resigned from the Irish Constabulary in connection with charges of looting perferred against a number of auxiliary cadets under his command, declares, in a letter concerning his resignation, that theft by policemen is unpardonable. "I cannot," he says, "associate myself with a force wherein such acts are condoned."

SILK MAKERS IN U. S. OPITMISTIC

Evil Effects Of Speculation Being Overcome, Says Manufacturer

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Feb. 20, G. M. Dunlop, addressing the members of the National Wholesale Dry Goods Association this week, pointed out the strong features now apparent in the raw silk markets in a most optimistic vein, saying that his own plants were now operating in full. He said the "silk industry had suffered from a speculation more far-reaching, greater in dimension, more insidious in scope, than anything, the world has seen since the Mississippi Bubble."

He pointed out the many evidences of the clearing outlook, including the elimination of illegitimate traders. He said he was convinced that Japan raw silk is selling not only below the cost of production, but below any reasonable cost that can be prophesied for the future. This sort of talk, coming from one of the largest factors in the trade, has caused a decided change in the viewpoint of silk fabric buyers.

Gompers Sees Big Issues For Labor

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Feb. 23.—Two hundred delegates are present at the Annual Convention of the American Federation of labor. The President of the Federation, Mr. Gompers, has foreshadowed issues of a serious character, probably referring to extremist propaganda.

Fletcher Named As Compliment To The Far East

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 24.—The Times Washington correspondent states that special significance is attached to the appointment of Mr. Henry P. Fletcher as Under Secretary of State. He has had long diplomatic experience, and has a first-hand knowledge of the Far East, where President-Elect Harding believes America must play a part of steadily increasing importance. The choice of Mr. Fletcher means that the execution of a vigorous policy will be entrusted to a man with the necessary special training.

Y.M.C.A. Membership Drive Gets Encouraging Start

Wednesday night at 8 o'clock the four leading teams of the Y.M.C.A. Membership Campaign stood as follows:

1. Nanking team, Captain Mr. C. T. Wang, points 1993.
2. Anking team, Captain Mr. W. H. Chen, points 1624.
3. Hankow team,, Captain Mr. N. L. Han, points 1582.
4. Kiukiang team, Captain Mr. Y. C. Tong, points 1442.

The first week of the Membership Campaign closed with a celebration in which captains, lieutenants and team members took a hearty part. The program was held in the gymnasium and the announcement of the points for the first week called forth great enthusiasm.

There was keen competition for the first place, which meant an award of 100 points which are given by the Generalissimo, Mr. C. C. Nieh, Chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, and his team. He is himself one of the most enthusiastic workers, having been connected with this annual event for the past five or six years.

GOAL IS $45,000

The goal of the three weeks effort, which will close on March 12, is the securing of $45,000 towards the budget, which this past year amounted to $162,000. The first week given encouragement that this goal will be attained and the workers are very much aroused. Some of the teams who were not in the first line last night are prepared to come in strong on the second and third weeks. As a matter of fact several of the teams have been slow in organising and have only been working during the past few days.

Shanghai is waking up to the fact that the Association workers are out to win. Members of teams with applications for membership and subscription forms are working in all parts of the city. There are various kinds of membership, from $4.00 for the smaller boys to $100.00 for extra-sustaining. The ordinary full membership is $13.00, the B.M.C., $13.00. Those who do not desire membership are giving contributions.

FOREIGN FRIENDS AID

Many foreign friends are taking this opportunity to show their appreciation of the work of the Association by making a contribution. Firms are also doing their share for they feel that the work done by the Association for the young men of the city is helping to make a better community in which to live and to do business. In addition to the above teams are the following:

Team.	Captain.
Chungking Team	Mr. Z. S. Dzai
Ichang Team	Mr. S. L. Tien
Shasi Team	Mr. K. K. Wong
Wuhu Team	F. C. Tong
Nantung Team	Mr. H. Z. Chang
Chungking Team	Mr. K. C. Ling

Each team consists of a Captain, 2 lieutenants and from thirty to fifty workers. Each dollar received counts one point.

IN THE BOYS' DIVISION

The first four teams to date in the Boys' Division stand as follows:

	Points
1. Third Division, Mr. T. S. Chen	452
2. Sixth Division, Mr. L. T. Sung	282
3. First Division, M. K. S. Zung	233
4. Seventh Division, Mr. Y. M. Seng	178

In all the boys teams have secured 1,554 points. The "younger brothers" have as their goal $8,000 and it seems likely they will get this sum. As the total realised to date in both divisions approaches $10,000, the outlook is encouraging.

Japan To Borrow 70 Million Yen For Military Use

(Reuter Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 23.—The Official Gazette tomorrow will announce the issue of seventy million yen in exchequer notes on account of extraordinary military expenditure. The issue price will be 93.50 and they will be redeemable at 100 on June 1, 1927. The notes will bear five percent interest. The subscription lists will open on March 4.

CIVIC LEAGUE TODAY

The Shanghai Civic League will hold a public meeting this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock in the Grace Church on North Szechuen Road, opposite the North Szechuen Road Police Station. Addresses will be delivered by I. Mason, Esq. Dr. Darroch, and others on the subject, "The Extension of the Franchise to Ratepayers Living Outside the Settlement Limits." Mr. A. J. Hughes will preside.

ARMENIANS REPULSED

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 24.—A Georgian official telegram claims that the attack of the 20th instant, by Armenian and Azerbaijanian Bolshevist forces, was repulsed with the loss of two thousand prisoners and large booty. This, the message states, is entirely out of danger.

ATTEMPTS LONG FLIGHT

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

San Diego, Feb. 23.—Lieutenant William Coney left North Island at 7 o'clock this morning in an attempt to fly across the continent within twenty-four hours.

His destination will be Jacksonville, Florida, and his only scheduled stop is at Dallas, Texas.

ROTARY CLUB MEETS

Dr. P. W. Kuo and Dr. John H. Gray were the speakers yesterday at the weekly tiffin meeting of the Shanghai Rotary Club, held at the Astor House. Mr. Fredrick W. Stevens, American agent of the Consortium, attended the meeting.

POLISH MINISTER LEAVES

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 23.—The Polish Foreign Minister, Prince Sapieha, left for Warsaw by the Orient Express yesterday, and by the same train M. Benes, the Czecho-Slovakian Foreign Minister, returned to Prague.

Leslie's Weekly And Judge In Difficulty

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Feb. 23.—Bankruptcy proceedings have been instituted against the publishers of Leslie's Weekly, and Judge. Their liabilities are said to be $2,210,000, with assets of $420,000.

TO REDUCE BANK RATE

(Reuter Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 23.—Representatives of the Tokio and Osaka associated banks met today at the Bankers Club, and decided to reduce the bank rate approximately three-quarters of one percent. This decision must be confirmed at a general meeting of banks, to be held on the 25th inst. The new rates will become effective on March 1.

SHOT BY ROBBER

One man was shot during an armed robbery which occurred in a shoe shop on North Chekiang Road shortly before 9 o'clock last night. Four men, one armed with a pistol, entered the shop and held up the inmates, securing nothing more than a pair of bangles. The armed robber fired three shots, one of which struck a shop-assistant in the shoulder. The wounded man was taken to St. Luke's Hospital and his injury is not thought to be serious.

SENATE INCREASES ARMY

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

Washington, Feb. 24.—The Military Sub-Committee of the Senate has approved appropriations for the Army giving it an average strength of 175,000, as compared with 150,000, as provided for in the bill which passed the House of Representatives.

Reception Displeases; Woman Is Suicide

Because the reception she received when she came from her home in Haungchow to visit friends in Shanghai disappointed her a Chinese woman, 49 years of age, committed suicide by eating opium Wednesday. She was taken from the home of her friends to the Red Cross Hospital, but efforts to save her life were futile.

CLOCKS TO GO BACK

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 24.—"Summer time" in England begins on April 2 and ends on October 2.

Ningpo Clergyman Weds English Girl

Pretty Ceremony, First In 10 Years, Attracts Large Gathering

(Staff Correspondence)

Ningpo, Feb. 21.—As for a period of ten years, there has not been a foreign wedding in Ningpo, there was a large gathering of foreigners and Chinese to witness the marriage of the Rev. W. P. Bates to Miss Lelia Smith at the Methodist Church on the Settlement. The bride was given away by Mr. H. S. Redfern, whose two little daughters Beatrice and Ethel acted as bridesmaids.

The Rev. T. Gaunt conducted the service with the assistance of the Chinese pastor of the Church, Mr. Zi. The Rev. H. R. Benjamin of the American Baptist Mission was best man. Although—or perhaps some may say because—the chief participants in the ceremony and in the reception which followed were drawn from several nationalities and several denominations the proceedings were marked throughout by the most cordial good fellowship and kindly feeling.

The bride, a charming young lady who has only recently arrived from England, was prettily attired in a dress of silk georgette over silk. She wore a veil of embroidered net, and a wreath of orange-blossoms and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations.

The reception which was held at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Redfern brought to a close a most delightful and interesting function.

WANTS ARMY REDUCED

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 23.—The report of M. Pate, head of the Chamber Committee dealing with army estimates, proposes a reduction of nearly sixty millions sterling, on the total of £260,000,000 allocated by the Government.

France Celebrates Washington Day

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 23.—Washington's birthday was the occasion yesterday of a manifestation of the deep friendship which exists between France and the United States. The American Ambassador placed a palm, and the American Legation a wreath on the tomb of France's "unknown soldier."

POLL.

Prussian Diet To Be Well Balanced

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 23.—The result of the Prussian elections encourages the hope that the Republic in Germany will not be strangled by either reactionaries or Bolsheviks.

TWO FIRES CHECKED

Three calls were handled by the Fire Brigade yesterday. The first, at 1:53 p.m., was to Nos. L1821-22 Yangtszepoo Road, where two wooden Chinese dwellings were found aflame. The Eastern Division, assisted by a detachment from Central, stopped the blaze, one of the houses was badly damaged and the other partly.

An alarm reporting a fire at Pakhoi and Hoopeh Roads at 7:40 p.m. proved false. At 8:17 p.m. Hongkew tower reported a blaze at 260 Miller Road, where a Chinese shop was found afire at the rear, the flames spreading rapidly. Quick work checked the outbreak. The Nikko photograph shop next door was slightly affected.

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St. George's Chapel Nearing Collapse

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 24.—The historic St. George's Chapel at Windsor, the burial place of many English kings, is threatened with collapse, according to the Dean of Windsor, who, in a letter to the press, appeals for funds to restore the building, which, he says, will be closed at Easter for three years, for repairs. Twenty thousand sterling has already been subscribed and will be enough to cover the first year's work.

Russian Unionists To Be Unrestricted

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 24.—The Daily Telegraph's" Berlin correspondent states that according to a telegram from Moscow, the executive of the Communist Party has, by 92 votes to 8, adopted the views of Lenin, in favor of leaving the trade-unions a large measure of freedom, instead of making them merely the executive organs of the Soviet Government, as advocated by Trotsky. It is rumored that Trotsky, chagrined, has resigned the presidency of the Army Council. It is also stated that a part of the Red Army at Moscow has revolted in favor of Trotsky and there has been fighting in the streets.

Railway Strike Threatens Mexico

(Reuter's Service)

Mexico City, Feb. 23.—In anticipation of a general railway strike, in which it is estimated between thirty and forty thousand men would be involved, the Government has concentrated troops in all the important centers.

The trouble is due to the railway directors having refused to recognise the men's unions. The Government is strongly supporting the Directors.

Cossacks Re-divide Wealth In Teheran

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 23.—According to Persian reports, calm prevails at Teheran; the bazaars are closed and the Cossacks have made a re-distribution of wealth. A number of arrests have also been made, including the ex-Ministers Montasub-Mulk, Mokhtes-Hames and Saltaneh, Princes Firman Firma and Farouz.

The rebels declare their respect for the Shah, and their abhorrence of Bolshevism. The coup d'etat has not apparently been directed against the British.

Unemployed To Get Increased Support

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 24.—The House of Commons has given the Government's Unemployment Insurance Act Amendment Bill its second reading, without division. The Minister of Labor, Dr. Macnamara, said State provision would be increased from £4,500,000 to over £5,250,000, and the Government had provided £62,000,000 for unemployment donations for ex-service men. These benefits would be extended from 15 to 26 weeks in any one year, and the weekly amount increased to 18s. for men and 15s. for women.

Indian Council O.K's Labor Pact

(Reuter's Service)

Delhi, Feb. 23.—The Council of State has passed a resolution ratifying the draft provisions of the Washington Labor Convention, including the fixing of the minimum age for children working in factories at twelve years.

BISHOP GETS DEGREE

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 23.—The Senate of Aberdeen University has conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity on the Rt. Rev. E. D. L. Danson, Bishop of Labuan and Sarawak, one of its graduates.

TO SELL KAISER'S YACHT

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 23.—It is reported that the yacht Mordstern, which belonged to the ex-Kaiser, has arrived at Barcelona, where she is to be sold.

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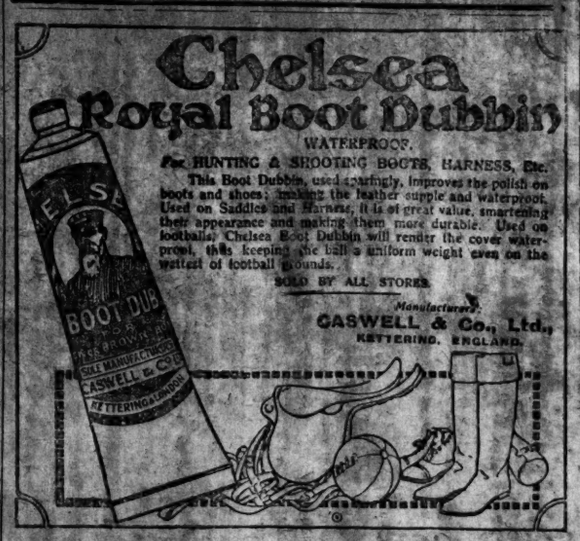

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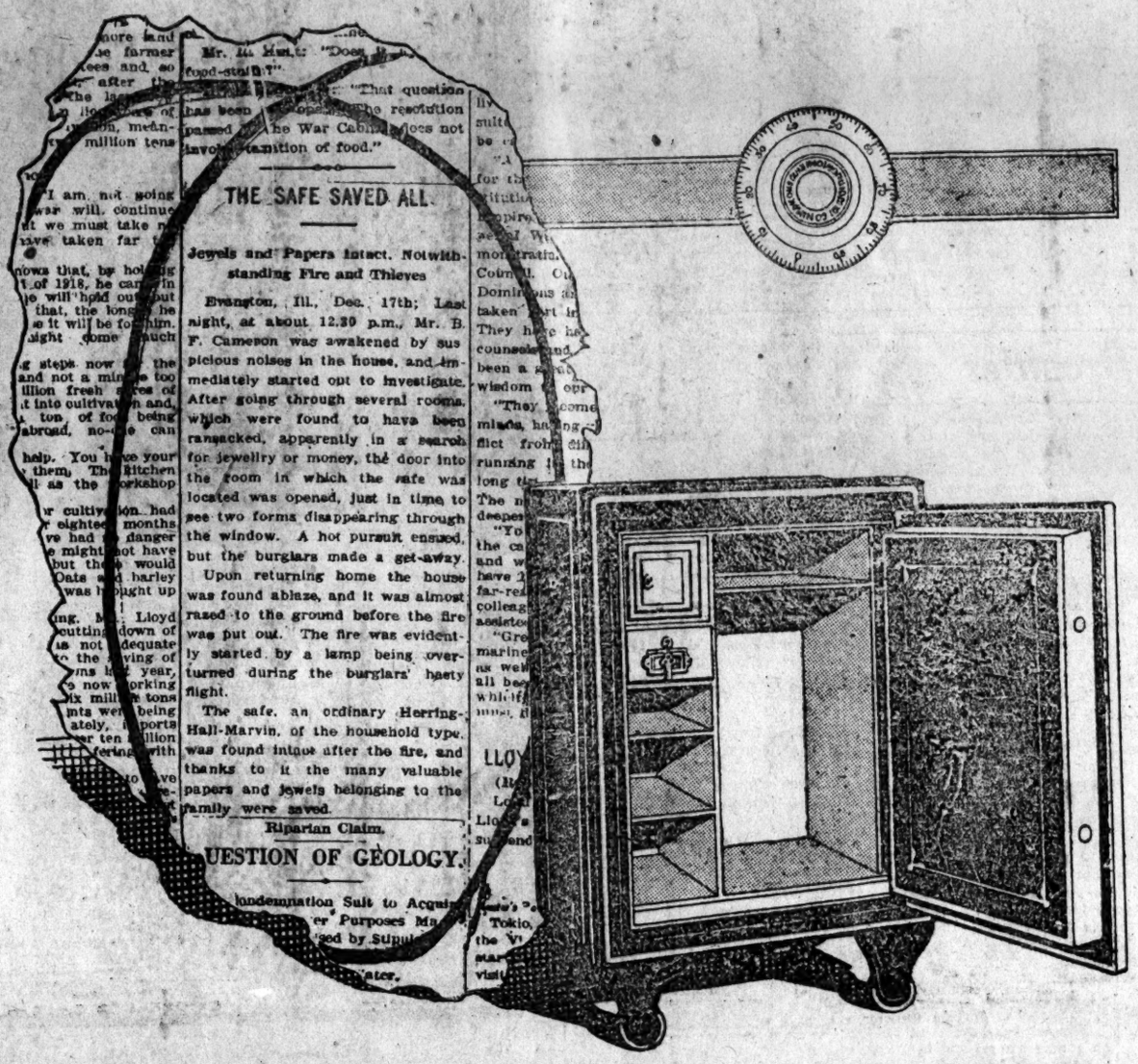

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Evanston, Ill., Dec. 17th; Last night, at about 12.30 p.m., Mr. B. F. Cameron was awakened by suspicious noises in the house, and immediately started out to investigate. After going through several rooms, which were found to have been ransacked, apparently in a search for jewellry or money, the door into the room in which the safe was located was opened, just in time to see two forms disappearing through the window. A hot pursuit ensued, but the burglars made a get-away.

Upon returning home the house was found ablaze, and it was almost razed to the ground before the fire was put out. The fire was evidently started by a lamp being overturned during the burglars' hasty flight.

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Obituary

LINO JOSE LOPES

Mr. Lino Jose Lopes, who had been ill since October, died at his residence, 22 Range Road, at 8:10 yesterday morning from pneumonia and bronchitis. Funeral services will take place this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Bubbling Well Cemetery.

The late Mr. Lopes who was seventy years of age and one of the best known members of the Portuguese community here, was born in Macau. He was employed for more than 25 years in the Treasury Office in Hongkong as bookkeeper and was pensioned about 10 years ago. Mr. Lopes has many friends in Shanghai where he has been living since 1916. The deceased leaves a widow and ten children.

Shortage Of Fuel Hits Soviet Russia

(U. S. Naval Radio through Reuter)

New York, Feb. 24.—According to advices from Riga, the shortage of fuel is causing an acute crisis in Soviet Russia, and traffic is suspended on 4,500 miles of railway.

American transcontinental flight, sent you in P. 9 this afternoon.

Bolshevik Plot Discovered In Time

(Reuter Pacific Service)

Habarovsk, Feb. 23.—It now appears that a number of Red soldiers prepared a revolt on the day of the opening of the Assembly, and intended to fire live shells instead of blank ammunition during the salute. The authorities discovered the plot in the nick of time and arrested 800 of their number. It is asserted that many have been shot, and others sent to the Amur district.

P. and O. Not To Buy Indo-China Ships

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 24.—Lord Inchcape states that the renewed reports that the P. and O. Co., or any of its associates, contemplate the purchase of, or amalgamation with the Indo-China Steam Navigation Company are foundationless. The reports were accompanied by a sharp rise in the latter company's shares.

Wilson Wants Jap Mandate Reviewed

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 23.—President Wilson's Note to the League of Nations Council states that the Japanese Mandate for the Pacific Islands has now been received.

The United States had previously informed France, Great Britain, Italy and Japan that she did not consent to the inclusion therein of the Island of Yap and now declares that she cannot be bound by the terms of the mandate and begs the Council to scrutinise the question once more.

Naval Question In French Chamber

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 23.—The Chamber has debated at length, the future of the Navy. The Minister of the Navy has requested increased credits for the purpose of complete reorganisation and is meanwhile reserving the question of construction.

Musicians Heard Here Now Please New York

Mirovitch and Piastro, Russian musicians who charmed Shanghai audiences a season or so ago, are finding favor in New York. The following comment is contained in the New York Tribune of January 3:

In the evening at the Hippodrome Mishel Piastro replaced Jan Kubelik, who had been announced to appear, but was prevented by illness, in a joint recital with Alfred Mirovitch, pianist. Mr. Piastro is another of the season's newcomers whose attainments place him above the average. He played last night with great warmth of tone and abundant temperament Sindings's Suite in A minor, the "Serenade Melancolique" of Tchaikovsky, a Hungarian Dance of Brahms, a Paganini Caprice, "The Lonely Wanderer" of Greig and Wieniawski's "Russian Carnaval."

Mr. Mirovitch displayed considerable proficiency, but, due undoubtedly to the difficulty of the task of adapting his instrument to the demands of so large an auditorium, a style in which there was more of vigor than of clarity. His numbers included a transcription of an organ concerto of Handel, Chopin's B flat minor Sonata and a Liszt group. A good-sized audience heard the program with every evidence of enjoyment.

TRADE PARLEY REOPENS

(Reuter's Service)

Helsingfors, Feb. 23.—Negotiations for the resumption of Russo-Finnish trade relations have been opened.

MUTT & JEFF — Mutt Might Have Known Jeff Was Only Spoofing — By Bud Fisher

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POOH! A SNAIL'S PACE, I CALLS IT!
YOU POOR FISH, WHAT D'YE MEAN, SNAIL'S PACE!
WHY, I WAS ON A TRAIN ONCE AND MADE A THOUSAND MILES IN ONLY TWO HOURS. THAT'S WHAT I CALLS GOING SOME!
IMPOSSIBLE! GET DOWN TO FACTS!
IT'S THE TRUTH! I PLAYED A TRAVELING MAN FOR HIS MILEAGE BOOK AND WON! TEE HEE!
SAP!
OUCH!
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News Brevities

Mr. R. F. Naill, the Student Executive of the Tsingtao University Preparatory Academy, is in Shanghai for the purpose of matriculating students for the spring term and to give information concerning the school to interested parties. Mr. Naill is at the Astor House and he is planning to take students to Tsingtao for the March term.

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The Canadian Pacific Ocean Services liner, Empress of Asia, is due to arrive at Woosung at midnight tomorrow night and will sail from Woosung at noon Sunday. The tender Vulcan will leave the Customs Jetty Sunday morning at 8:30 o'clock conveying all passengers and baggage for Manila and Hongkong.

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A performance of dance music will be given by the Public Band at the Town Hall this evening beginning at 5:30 p.m.

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The two young women arrested several days ago for soliciting alms, Sinia Dmitrievsky and Endoxie Ogly, were sentenced to four days' imprisonment by the Mixed Court yesterday, sentence to be suspended if they leave Shanghai immediately for Harbin, as they requested.

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Adam Brozki and Slawislava Felixovna Dzovakovskaya, the man and woman sentenced to two months' imprisonment on January 19 for shoplifting in Messrs. Boyes, Bassett and Company's store, were ordered handed over to the Arsenal authorities by the Mixed Court yesterday for despatch to Harbin, where they are wanted by the authorities.

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The Whangpoo Conservancy Board has addressed letters to the local Chinese authorities alleging certain unlawful acts by troops stationed in Woosung. The communiations stated that troops in uniform accompanied by women and children created disturbances in the board's factory in Woosung on February 16 and 17.

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The Chinese press reports that a request has been made by Dr. C. T. Wang with the Peking Government for the donation of $60,000 to pay the expenses of the Olympic Games to be held here in May and June.

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Representing Chao Ti, the Honan Tuchun, to express the thanks of the province to the International Famine Relief Committee, Taoyin Fan Shao-ming has arrived in Shanghai. He is the guest of Messrs. Loh Pei-hung and Chang Ching-chen.

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Mr. R. R. Galley and Mr. E. Weatherall have been elected president and honorary secretary of the Anglo-American Association of Peking.

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The Executive Council of the St. Joseph's Catholic Association will be held at the premises of the Association tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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The Canadian Association will hold its second regular annual meeting in the drawing room of the Astor House Hotel on Monday afternoon at 5:30. The election of officers and items of social interest are to be discussed at this meeting. The Secretary requests that all Canadians, especially those who have lately arrived or who have not as yet become members of the Association, shall be present at this meeting. Tea will be served and all new-comers heartily welcomed. It is understood that a proposition to organise for athletics will be put forward at this meeting.

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A gambling raid made on a place at 232 Muirhead Road netted ten prisoners, including one Chinese police constable, Wednesday night. The proprietor was fined $10 and the others $3 each yesterday.

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Two Japanese charged with being drunk and disorderly and assaulting a Chinese policeman were sentenced to three days' imprisonment by the Japanese Court.

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A youth of 18, George High, arrested on the charge of larceny at the instance of his former employes, Messrs. Adolph Frankau and Co., appeared in the British Police Court yesterday and was refused recognition as a British subject. He will be charged in the Mixed Court.

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The estimate made at Peking on damages sustained by Chinese residents in Urga as a result of its fall into the hands of the Russian reactionaries and Mongols is $20,000,000, according to the Chinese press.

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The Engineering Society of China will hold its seventh meeting on Tuesday, March 1, at 5:30 o'clock. Mr. F. G. Helsby will read a paper on "The Present Aspect of Sewage Disposal with Special Reference to Shanghai.

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Bishop and Mrs. Malony was among the passengers who arrived from London on the P. and O. steamer Kashmir yesterday.

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Mr. Frederick W. Stevens, representative of the American Group of the Banking Consortium, and Mrs. Stevens returned to Shanghai from Hongkong yesterday by the steamer Kashmir. Mr. Stevens has been investigating financial conditions in Canton.

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Tuchun Yen Shih-shan of Shansi is on his way to Peking, in response to an invitation extended to him by President Hsu to discuss plans for the disbandment of troops.

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Major W. R. C. McBain was among the passengers who left for Sumatra on the steamer Telresias yesterday.

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Dr. F. L. Hawks Pott, president of St. John's University, is expected to return to Shanghai Sunday from Vancouver. Dr. Pott has been touring the United States in the interest of the work of the university.

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A musical program of interest will be presented at the Union Church following the service Sunday evening to which the public is invited. The program is as follows:

Andante from E minor, violin concerto ... Mendelssohn.
Mrs. Dixon
from "Elijah" (Mendelssohn)
Air—"Woe unto them"
Mrs. Mathieson.
Air—"Hear ye, Israel"
Mrs. Godby.
Trio—"Lift thine eyes"
Mrs. Dixon,
Mrs. Mathieson,
Mrs. Barham.
Chorus—"He, watching over Israel"

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Military assistance to relieve Urga has been offered by General Feng Yu-hsian, the Christian commander and General Yen Hsian-wen, the commander of the 20th division stationed in Hupeh.

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The Chinese press reports that members of the old Chiao-tung clique including Chow Tse-chi, the Minister of Finance; Liang Shih-yi, manager of the Exchange Bank of China, and Yeh Kung-cho, Minister of Communications, have requested President Hsu to pardon the Anfuite, Li Shih-hao, ex-minister of Finance.

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The Literary Department of the American Woman's Club will meet at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Royal Asiatic Society's hall. Mrs. G. O. Richardson will read a paper on "Chinese Pagodas," illustrating her account with a selection of

BIG FIRE IN BELGIUM

(Reuter's Service)

Antwerp, Feb. 23.—Damage to the extent of 6,000,000 francs has resulted from fire in a shed at the Belgian naval base here.

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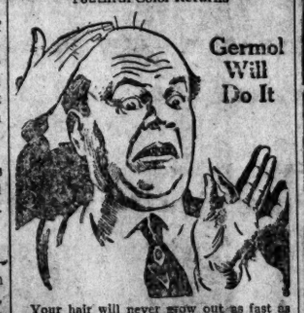

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China Press Sports

Shanghai Riders And Ponies Winning Many Laurels At Hongkong Spring Race Meet

Messages Received At Shanghai Race Club Tell Of Events Of First Two Days—Derby Is Won By Invincible King, Mr. Hill Up

Messages to the Shanghai Race Club bring the news that most of the laurels at the big Hongkong race meeting are being gathered by Shanghai riders and the ponies that were sent south from here for the meeting also are giving more than a fair account for themselves.

The Hongkong Derby, the big race of the second day of the meeting over a course of a mile and a half, brought victory for three Shanghai riders and resulted also in a lowering of the Hongkong track record for the distance to 2.08 2-5. In this race Mr. William Hill finished in first place riding Mr. G. H. Potts' chestnut Invincible King. It was Mr. Hill's third win in the two days. Two of Sir Paul Chater's Dahlia ponies placed in the race: Honesty Dahlia, ridden by Mr. Knoll, finished second and Hope Dahlia, ridden by Mr. Vida, third.

PONIES WINING

Of the 22 events of the first two days of the meeting winning places went to no less than eight Shanghai ponies and two of these victories, one each day, were achieved by Mr. G. H. Potts' grey Fighting King.

At the close of yesterday's racing Mr. Johnstone and Mr. Knoll were pressing each other for premier place among the jockies, as Mr. Johnstone then had won five firsts, two seconds and four thirds and Mr. Knoll had scored six wins, had finished in second place five times and in third twice. Among the other leaders among the riders Mr. Frank Vida, riding Sir Paul Chater's ponies, had taken four firsts, four seconds and two thirds. Mr. Hill had won three firsts, one second and two thirds.

The summaries for the first two days of the meeting follow:

Wednesday's detailed results follow:

1.—Wong Nei-chong Stakes.—Half mile.

Mr. Topside's b. Mountain Stream, Mr. Knoll 1
„ Carpetnor's bl. Don Juan, Mr. Soares 2
„ F. B. Deacon's roan Frome, Mr. Vida 3
Time 1.00.

2.—The Maiden Stakes.—Three quarters of a mile.

Mr. John Peel's gr. Ankle Deep, Mr. Johnstone 1
„ Nemazee's b. Parran, Mr. Nemazee 2
„ Fash's skw. Harlequin, Mr. Heard 3
Time 1.29 4/5.

3.—The Victoria Stakes.—One mile.

Mr. Pott's gr. Fighting King, Mr. Hill 1
„ Gilpin's wh. Triumph, Mr. Knoll 2
„ J. Peel's wh. Slam, Mr. Johnstone 3
Time 2.03 2/5.

4.—The Valley Stakes.—Three quarters of a mile.

Mrs. J. Johnstone's skw. Irish Stew, Mr. Johnstone 1
Mr. Fash's dun Aspirin, Mr. Heard 2
„ H. Birkett's bl. Blackspot, Mr. Hill 3
Time 1.32.

5.—The Challenge Cup.—One and three quarters of a mile.

Mr. J. Peel's gr. Caulfield, Mr. Johnstone *1
„ Potts' gr. Allied King, Mr. Hill *1
„ Sech's f.b.g. The Ameer, late The Bulbul, Mr. Heard 3
*Dead heat. Time 3.48.

6.—The Trial Plate.—One and quarter miles.

Mr. H. Humphrey's gr. Speckled Mouse, Mr. Knoll 1
Sir Paul's gr. Empire Dahlia, Mr. Vida 2
Mr. J. Peel's gr. Coat of Arms, Mr. Johnstone 3
Time 2.40 3/5.

7.—The Garrison Cup.—From the two miles post, once round and in.

Mr. G. C. Moxon's gr. Louza, Major Timmis 1
Mrs. Deacon's d. Frampton, Mr. Vida 2
Mr. Pott's bl. Coal King, Mr. Hill 3
Mr. Ferdinand's ch. Pawnshop, Mr. Soares, passed the post first but was disqualified for crossing.
Time 2.20.

8.—The Racing Stakes.—One mile.

Sir Paul's ch. Honesty Dahlia, Mr. Vida 1
„ E. Kadoorie's b. Hongkong Chief, Mr. Knoll 2
Mr. Fash's gr. Javelin, Mr. Heard 3
Time 2.04.

9.—The Jockey Club Stakes.—One and quarter miles.

Mr. J. Peel's gr. Silver Streak, Mr. Johnstone 1
Sir Paul's gr. Hope Dahlia, Mr. Vida 2
„ Paul's gr. Conqueror Dahlia, Mr. Soares 3
Time 2.35 1-5

10.—The Professional Cup.—One mile.

Sir Paul's d. Delight Dahlia, Mr. Vida 1
Mr. J. Peel's gr. Iddy, Mr. Johnstone 2
Mr. Soares's b. Field Child, Mr. Soares 3
Time 2.09 3-5.

11.—The Kalgan Plate.—Three quarters of a mile.

Dr. Forsyth's gr. Leighton, Mr. Heard 1
Sir E. Kadoorie's ch. Repulse Bay Chief, Mr. Knoll 2
Mr. Nemazee's d. Ardelan, Mr. Nemazee 3
Time 1.32 1-5.

SECOND DAY

1.—The Jockey Cup.—Once round.

Mr. Ferdndud's ch. Pawnshop, Mr. Soares 1
„ Saints' ch. St. Anthony, Mr. Doyle 2
„ Carpetnor's brk. Don Juan, Mr. Gibson 3
Time: 1.54.

2.—The Exchange Plate.—From 2 M. Post, once round and in.

Mr. G. H. Potts' g. Fighting King, Mr. Hill 1
Sir Paul's g. Conqueror Dahlia, Mr. Vida 2
Mr. John Peel's w. High Tide, Mr. Johnstone 3
Time: 2.17.

3.—The Hongkong Derby.—One and a half miles.

Mr. G. H. Potts' ch. Invincible King, Mr. Hill 1
Sir Paul's ch. Honesty Dahlia, Mr. Knoll 2
„ Paul's g. Hope Dahlia, Mr. Vida 3
Time: 3.08.3 record.

4.—The Subscription Griffins' Challenge Cup.—One and a quarter miles.

Mr. John Johnstone's skw. Irish Stew, Mr. Johnstone 1
„ Fash's d. Aspirin, Mr. Heard 2
Messrs. Hosie's and Lay's ch. By Jingo, Mr. Seth 3
Time: 2.40.1.

5.—The Governor's Cup.—Five furlongs.

Mr. Gilpin's w. Triumph, Mr. Knoll 1
Sir Paul's g. Sovereign Dahlia, Mr. Vida 2
Mr. Soares' spd. Spotted Sand, Mr. Soares 3
Time: 1.15.2.

6.—The Lusitano Cup.—One mile.

Sir Paul's cr. Sportsman Dahlia, Mr. Vida 1
„ Ellis Kadoorie's d. Stanley Chief, Mr. Knoll 2
Mr. Nemazee's b. Parran, Mr. Nemazee 3
Time: 2.05.

7.—The Foochow Cup.—One and a half miles.

Sir Ellis Kadoorie's b. Hongkong Chief, Mr. Knoll 1
Mr. John Peel's w. Slam, Mr. Johnstone 2
„ Soares' br. Siamese Cat, Mr. White 3
Time: 3.13.4.

8.—The Royal Navy Cup.—From 2 M. Post, once round and in.

Mr. F. B. Deacon's ru. Frome, Mr. Knoll 1
„ Ferdndud's ch. Pawnshop, Mr. Soares 2
„ John Peel's b. Umpty, Mr. Johnstone 3
Time: 2.22.

9.—The "Black Rock" Stakes.—One and a quarter miles.

Sir Paul's g. Empire Dahlia, Mr. Vida 1
Mr. Fash's b. Dolphin, Mr. Heard 2
„ Stephen's g. Hatton, Mr. Wuilleumier 3
Time: 2.43.1.

10.—The Gymkhana Club Cup.—Three quarters mile.

Mr. Soares' spd. Spotted Sand, Mr. Soares 1
Dr. Forsyth's g. Cranby, Mr. Gibson 2
Mr. Towers' d. Pan Tile, late Dunmore Dahlia, Mr. Doyle 3
Time: 1.31.1.

11.—The Peking Plate.—One mile.

Sir Ellis Kadoorie's ch. Repulse Bay Chief, Mr. Knoll 1
Mr. Nemazee's d. Ardelan, Mr. Nemazee 2
„ Saints' ch. St. Anthony, Mr. Doyle 3
Time: 2.06.3.

F.M.S. GIRLS NOTE!

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Porter Wins From Gray By Score Of 1500 To 1350

Shanghai Champion, With 500 Allowance, Makes Great Showing

In a match featured by brilliant and spectacular billiards at times and mediocre—almost listless—playing at other stages of the long game, C. W. Porter defeated George Gray at the Town Hall last night. Gray conceded the Shanghai champion 500 points. Porter made his necessary thousand while Gray was tallying 1350. Gray had but one comment to make on the match. "Mr. Porter is one of the best amateur billiard players I ever saw—he is easily the best in the Far East," he said.

Gray's average, 12.8, shows that the former world's champion was not playing well. Particularly during the after-dinner session he was not steady and at no time was he playing as he did, for instance, last Sunday night at the Thirty Club.

HIGH BREAK IS 110

Gray made a high break of 110 and Porter made 108, both coming before dinner. Gray's 76 was high for the night session. Gray made 56, 42 twice, 39, 35, 33 and 30 after dinner and Porter's other high runs were 30 and 31.

Gray, 221 points behind the local wonder, started off after dinner with a bad slump and Porter made 100 while Gray was getting 20. Five minutes after play had begun Porter led 1015 to 773 and at 10 o'clock—they started at 9:30—Porter had 1106 to Gray's 862, a lead of 244. In 20 minutes Porter passed his twelfth century, and gaining a point a minute, at half past ten, led by 274 points.

Then Gray ran 39 and followed with 76, cutting Porter's lead to 165 points. This was at 10:45. But Porter, after a miss and a few small breaks, came through with a 58 and passed the 1,300 mark at 10:55. Five minutes later he was 261 in the lead, the scoreboard showing 1379 to 1110.

Porter got to 1400 when Gray was at 1152 and then Porter hit a terrible slump, Gray scoring 198 while Porter was getting his final century. Gray ran from 1184 to 1350 while Porter went from 1460.

During the last 400 points the crowd was kept on edge by Gray's game attempts to cut down Porter's big lead and they were rewarded by seeing it drop from 261 to 150.

After the match Gray gave an interesting exhibition of masse and trick shots. It was his last appearance here as he leaves for Tientsin and Peking on Saturday and goes to Japan via Korea.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was lectured by flashes of admirable play on the part of both men, but beyond the two highest breaks, developed no startling billiards. Gray's high run of 110 followed immediately upon the heels of his next highest break of the afternoon, a 57, and the former figure was almost equaled by Porter very shortly afterward in a brilliant string of 108, during the accumulation of which he accomplished three or four shots that evoked enthusiastic applause.

Gray's high breaks for the first half of the game were 110, 57, 52,

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HAVE YOU NUMBER 751?

Ticket number 751 was the winner of the sweepstake held in connection with last night's billiard match between C. W. Porter and George Gray. Ticket 751 drew Porter. Number 13 drew Gray. The sweep netted $1,000, half of which goes to the famine fund. The winner gets $400 and the "thirteen" catches $100.

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Fifty-two entries were received for the London Hospital Cup when the list closed on Wednesday. The competition will be shot off tomorrow at 2 o'clock sharp. Competitors are requested to be at the firing line before 2 o'clock to be squadded. Sighting shots tickets may be obtained from Mr. H. W. Lambert at the 200 yards mound, target No. 10, by payment of a small fee of 50 cents for each shot.

First practice to fire will be rapid. Five rounds in the magazine one in the chamber and the remaining four shots to be loaded singly. Clip loading not allowed.

Donations received to date are:

Geo. Dunlop	$5
Dr. S. A. Ransom	5
F. J. Gayes	3
J. J. M.	5
T. Pickles	1
W. Flint	1
W. J. Terrill	1
	$21
Previously acknowledged	195
Total	$216
51 entries at $2	102
Total	$318

In addition to the above amount probably there will be a good few post entries which will be $5.00 each.

The secretary, Mr. A. M. Collaco, will be very pleased to receive further donations.

LIBERTY CLUB WILL ORGANISE AT "Y" TONIGHT

Reports Of Housing And Finance Committees Will Be Received

All American ex-service men are urged to attend the meeting of the Liberty Club tonight at the Navy Young Men's Christian Association on Avenue Edward VII. At the meeting it is expected that the detailed plans of organisation will be approved and a constitution adopted.

The reports of the finance and housing committees are to be received and plans will be made for a membership campaign which will be started shortly.

The Club has engaged attractive quarters in the building on North Soochow Road which was formerly occupied by the Russian Post Office.

Porter Defeats Champion Gray

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48, 42, 36 and 35, while Porter's high runs were 108, 40, 24 and 21.

The former world's champion won the bank and Porter opened the play to no score, after which Gray started things off with a 48. Porter had three misses before he began tallying, with a 6, and the shooting was slow and unprofitable for some twenty minutes, when Gray got a 35—passing his first century mark—and then a 24, after which he made seven straight misses.

PORTER BRILLIANT

Porter scored his first hundred at 6:05, after fifty minutes of play, and five minutes later Gray, by reason of his 110 break, was at 351. Porter went to 200-700 with his allowance—at 6:25, during the course of his high break of 108. At 71 and 73, and again at 85 and 103, with the balls in difficult positions he negotiated cannon shots which were nothing short of brilliant.

Gray got into his stride again after passing the 400 mark at 6:40, hanging up sizeable strings until his score was 528, when he had another slump and it was twenty-five minutes before the next century was chalked. During the remainder of the session his breaks were small, with the exception of a 52.

Play ceased at 8:53 when Gray, with an unfinished run of 22, arrived at 750. Porter's string showed 971.

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LADIES 'UNT SUNDAY

Weather permitting, a ladies hunt will be held on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p.m., start near the Octopus Trees on the Hungjao Road and finish in the vicinity of Mrs. Liddell's Bungalow.

The hunt is open to all ponies except those which have won light or heavy weights or been placed in the first three in any Paper Hunt Club event this season.

In addition to the winner the first lady in riding side saddle will receive a prize.

No riders will be permitted to follow the hunt with the exception of the Stewards of the Paper Hunt Club.

Hockey

Harlequins vs. Police South

The following team will play for the Harlequins Hockey Club tomorrow at 3 p.m. on the Police Ground against the Police South: S. W. Ellis; R. L. Evans and H. W. P. McMeekin, H. R. T. Prior, W. T. Bertenshaw and F. A. Sampson; I. A. Donnelly, J. H. Ford, G. A. Browne, E. F. Thorpe and J. P. Jones.

Shanghai Harriers

There will be a training run for members tomorrow starting from the American School at 3 p.m. the course will be one of about three miles over country in the Kiangwan district. There will be fast, medium and slow packs.

Dr. Herbert Chatley Speaks On Judaism

At a meeting of the literary circle of the Shanghai Zionist Association, on Wednesday evening, Dr. H. Chatley gave an address before members and friends, on "A Gentile View of the World-Mission of Judaism." The lecturer opened his address with a remark that there were two great features that strike one who goes into the question of Judaism, and these are the antiquity and integrity of the Jewish nation. No race but the Chinese can lay claim to such a continuous history as the Jews, nor has any shown the quality of solidarity to the same extent. This is a most important fact to be taken into account and though it is a matter of dispute as to how far back we can trace the Jewish race, there can be no dispute that at least 4,000 years of continuous history can be credited to the Jewish nation.

Dr. Chatley spoke of the world-wide influence and attainments of Judaism and of the modern Zionist movement, which he thought had every prospect of success provided the Jews put their shoulder to the wheel and do not leave the movement to work out its own salvation.

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BUSINESS AND OFFICIAL NOTICES

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The Laou Kung Mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Laou Kung Mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld., will be held at the Office of the Company, Union Building, No. 1 Canton Road, Shanghai, on the 7th day of March, 1921, at 4.15 o'clock in the afternoon, when the subjoined resolutions will be proposed as Extraordinary Resolutions, namely:

1.—That each of the existing 100 Taels shares in the Company's Capital be divided into ten fully paid up shares of 10 Taels each.

2.—That the Articles of Association of the Company be altered in the manner following:—

(a) In Article 71 the words "eight thousand" shall be substituted for the words "eight hundred."

(b) Article 80 to be amended to read as follows:—"80—Upon a show of hands every Shareholder personally present shall have one vote. At a poll every Shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him up to one hundred shares, and he shall have an additional vote for every fifty shares beyond the first one hundred shares up to five hundred shares, and an additional vote for every one hundred shares beyond the first five hundred."

(c) In Article 92 the words "five hundred" shall be substituted for the word "fifty."

(d) In Article 97 the words "two hundred and fifty" shall be substituted for the word "twenty-five."

Should the above Resolutions be passed by the requisite majority they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to a Second Extraordinary General Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 28th day of February to the 7th day of March inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
IBERT & COMPANY, LIMITED,
General Managers.
Shanghai, 16th February, 1921.
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The Laou Kung Mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.

THE Twenty-seventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held on Monday, 7th March, 1921, at 4 p.m., at the office of the Undersigned, No. 1 Canton Road, Union Buildings.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 28th February to the 7th March, 1921, both days inclusive.

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The Debenture Transfer Register will be closed from 21st instant to 28th instant, both dates inclusive.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.
35719

Consolato Generale d'Italia Shanghai

Informasi che il comando della R. Stazione navale in cina estende ai membri della colonia e famiglie il gentile invito dei direttori della Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co. di assistere al varo della R. cannoniera "ermanno carlotto" che avra' luogo sabato 26 Corrente alle ore 15, 30 allo scalo di Pootung.

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Business and Official Notices

NOTICE

Our Analytical Department is transferred as from March 1st, 1921 to the Far Eastern Laboratories, who will continue to carry on analytical and research work at the same address, viz., 16 Nanking Road, above our premises.

A. S. WATSON & Co.

NOTICE

The Far Eastern Laboratories

We have taken over, as from March 1st, the Analytical Department of Messrs. A. S. Watson & Co., 16 Nanking Road, Shanghai, where we shall continue to carry out analytical and research work.

JOHN DALTON A. I. C.
The Far Eastern Laboratories.
35893

SHANGHAI CIVIC LEAGUE

A public meeting, under the auspices of the above League, will be held Today, February 25th, at 5.30 p.m. in Grace Church, North Szechuen Road (opposite the North Szechuen Road Police Station).

Addresses will be delivered by I. Mason, Esq., Dr. Darroch, D. D., and others, on the subject "The Extension of the Franchise to Ratepayers living ouside Settlement limits."

A. J. Hughes, Esq., in the chair,
W. ROBBINS,
Hon. Secretary.
38571

ISTHMIAN STEAMSHIP LINES
S. S. "Craster Hall"
From Mobile, Alabama.

Consigness of cargo ex this steamer are hereby notified that broken and ship-damaged packages will be examined at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Pootung Wharf on Monday, February 28th, at 9.30 a.m. by Messrs. Eisler & Reeves, Marine Surveyors.

United States Steel Products Co.
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UNION CHURCH
Sunday Evening, 27th February

The following music will be rendered following the evening service.

Andante from E minor Violin Concerto. Mendelssohn.
Mrs. Dixon.
Air "WOE UNTO THEM."
Mrs. Mathieson.
Air, "HEAR YE, ISRAEL."
Mrs. Godby.
Trio. "LIFT THINE EYES."
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Mrs. Mathieson,
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From "ELIJAH" (Mendelssohn)
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The second regular annual meeting of the Canadian Association of China will be held in the drawing room of the Astor House Hotel beginning at 5.30 p.m. on Monday next.

Tea will be served for which a cover charge of 50 cents will be made.

All Canadians whether members or not are requested to be present. Important and interesting business is to come before the Association.

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35874

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WANTED, two or three rooms suitable for offices for dental surgeon, only in central district or in one of new buildings. Apply to Box 761, THE CHINA PRESS.

35873

NOTICE

The undersigned having been transferred to the Yokohama Office, the Management of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha at Shanghai will from this date be assumed by MR. S. KINNO.

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The training season for the Spring Race Meeting (2nd, 3rd, 4th and 7th May) will commence on Tuesday, 1st March 1921, when the training (inner) course will be reserved for members only.

The Loong-fei (east) entrance to the public recreation ground will be closed and the Race Club's entrance will be available for pedestrians only during training hours.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.
35839

S.S. "West Nomentum" from Portland

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

AN examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Chang Kah Pang Wharf on Saturday, February 26th, at 9 a.m., when the Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Eisler & Reeves, will be in attendance.

COLUMBIA PACIFIC SHIPPING COMPANY,
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NOTICE

All U. S. ex-Service men are urgently requested to be present at a meeting at the Navy "Y" at 8:30 p.m., February 25th, to complete the organization of the "Liberty Club."
35869

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WANTED, Chinese familiar with the dispensaries, Shanghai and outports. Exceptional opportunity for first-class man who has produced results. Must have had experience in advertising, etc. Reply by letter, giving qualifications fully, salary expected, to Box 796, THE CHINA PRESS. 35858 F. 26

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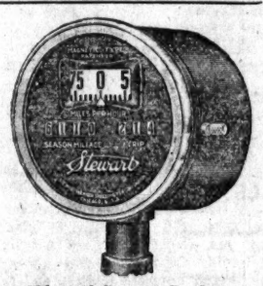

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HOUSES WANTED

WANTED by married couple, furnished or unfurnished house or flat in western district or French concession. Long lease. Will take over furniture if necessary. Reply giving all particulars to Box 806, THE CHINA PRESS. 35888 F. 27.

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MADAPOLAM, Tootal's Sealed Madapolam No. T.33 and No. T.22, price $8 per piece of 12 yards. Apply Probst, Hanbury & Co., Ld., No. 10 Nanking Road. 35723 M. 3.

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Capital ..... Yen 10,000,000

Head office ..... Peking
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.

Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T/T, Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie etc., etc.

Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.

Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.

Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.

Domestic Agencies at Tientsin, Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden, Foochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.

Y. TSENG.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000
Silver $23,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $15,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG
Court of Directors:
Hon. Mr. E. V. D. Parr, Chairman.
A. H. Compton, Esq., Deputy Chairman.
G. M. Dodwell, Esq.
G. T. M. Odkins, Esq.
A. S. Gubbay, Esq.
Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak,
Hon. Mr. J. Johnstone.
A. O. Lang, Esq.
W. L. Pattenden, Esq.
J. A. Plummer, Esq.
Chief Manager.
Hongkong—A. G. STEPHEN.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy	Ipoh	Penang
Bankok	Johore	Rangoon
Batavia	Kobe	Saigon
Bombay	Kuala Lumpur	S. Francisco
Calcutta	London	Shanghai
Canton	Lyons	Singapore
Colombo	Malacca	Sourabaya
Foochow	Manila	Tientsin
Hankow	Nagasaki	Tsingtao
Harbin	New York	Vladivostock
Iloilo	Peking	Yokohama

London Bankers:
London County Westminster and Parr's Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Local Bills Discounted

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa China, Japan and America.

G. H. STITT,
Actg. Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid) . 55,000,000
Reserve Fund 26,900,000
Capital Contributed by Kup. Chinese Government ..... Tls. 3,500,000
Reserve Fund 1,750,000

Head Office:
Paris, 9 Rue Boudreau.
London Office:
64 Old Broad Steet, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Milan: Credito Italiano.
Rome: Banco di Roma.
New York: The Irving National Bank.

FAR EASTERN BRANCHES:

Bombay	Hailar	Peking
Chanchun	Hankow	Shanghai
(Kwan-chendze)	Harbin	Tientsin
Chefoo	Hongkong	Vladivostock
Dairen (Dalny)	Manchouli	Yokohama
	Newchwang	Kobe
	Urumtchi	

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, and Dollars. Terms on application.

Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

Safe Deposit Boxes.

L. JEZIERSKI,
S. JASTRZEMBSKI.
Managers for Branches in Asia.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Societe Anonyme
Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
(THE BELGIAN BANK)

Paid up Capital ..Fr. 50,000,000
Reserves ..... Fr. 15,978,000

Head Office: BRUSSELS
London Office: 2 Bishopsgate, E.C.2
Paris Office: 2 Place de la Bourse
Branches: Cologne, Bucharest, Alexandria, Tantah, Cairo, Peking and Tientsin.
Agents:
(1) Manchester: 31 Mosley Street
(2) New York 22 William Street

President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Ste Gle de Belgique

Correspondents in all important cities of the world.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

L. STRAETMANS.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Limited

Incorporated 1912

Capital subscribed: £1,000,000
Capital paid up £1,000,000

HEAD OFFICE
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

SHANGHAI OFFICE
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	S. Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, etc	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchangee business transacted.

FUNG TSZ-KING,
Act. Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital ... $2,500,000.00
Reserve Fund 485,461.90

Head office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614
Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, Paris, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
SHU CHIN MIN, Sub-Manager.
MENG CHIA, T. D. Woo, Acting Sub-Manager.

華商實業銀行
Hwei Hai Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Founded and organized by Chang Chien and Chang Cha 1919

Head Office:
NANTUNGCHOW

Shanghai Branch:
22 KIUKIANG ROAD

Capital $1,000,000

Tels: Managers' Office Cen. 5808
General Office: Cen. 5802

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

International Banking Corporation

Capital & Surplus: G.$10,000,000
Undivided Profits: G.$3,200,000
OWNED BY
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK,

Head Office:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK

London Office: 36 Bishopsgate E. C.
Lyons Office: 27 Place Tolegan
San Francisco Office:
232 Montgomery Street

Branches:

China	Japan
Canton	Kobe
Hankow	Yokohama
Harbin	Java
Hongkong	Batavia
Peking	Sourabaya
Shanghai	Panama
Tientsin	Colon
Dominican Republic	Panama
Barahona	Philippine Islands
Puerto Plata	Cebu
San Pedro de Macoris	Manila
Sanchez	Spain
Santiago	Madrid
Santo Domingo	Barcelona
India	Straits Settlements
Bombay	Singapore
Calcutta	
Rangoon	

BRANCHES OF
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

Argentina	Italy
Buenos Aires	Genoa
Once (Buenos Aires)	Peru
Rosario	Lima
Belgium	Porto Rico
Antwerp	Ponce
Brussels	San Juan
Brazil	South Africa
Bahia	Cape Town
Pernambuco	Trinidad
Porto Alegre	Port of Spain
Rio de Janeiro	Uruguay
Santos	Montevideo
Sao Paulo	Calle Rondean (Montevideo)
Chile	Venezuela
Santiago	Caracas
Valparaiso	Ciudad Boliva
Colombia	Maracaibo
Barranquilla	
Bogota	
Medellin	
Cuba	
Havana and 22 other cities in Cuba	

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1a Kiukiang Road.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed „ 150,000,000
Capital paid up .. „ 75,000,000
Reserves ..... „ 40,000,000

One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: ANDRE BERTHELOT
General Manager: A. J. PERNOTTE

HEAD OFFICE:
74 RUE SAINT LAZARE, PARIS

BRANCHES:

Antwerp	Le Havre	Shanghai
Batavia	London	Singapore
Bordeaux	Lyons	Swatow
Canton	Marseilles	Tientsin
Dunquerque	Mukden	Tsinanfu
Foochow	New York	Vladivostock
Haiphong	Peking	Yokohama
Hankow	Pnom Penh	Yunnanfu
Hanoi	Rotterdam	
Hongkong	Saigon	

BANKERS:
In London: The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., London.
In France: Société Générale pour favoriser le Development du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
In Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana—Credito Italiano.

Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts

Interest allowed on current accounts in Gold or local currency. Savings accounts and fixed deposits. Terms on application.

Every description of Banking and exchange business transacted.

B. ADAM,
Manager.
1 French Bund, Shanghai.

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING

Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad; Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Y. M. CHIEN, Acting Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 17,353,284 (about £1,446,107)
Special Reserve: Guilders 25,160,000 (about £2,096,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongan
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kobe	Soerakarta
Kota-Radja	Tebing-Tinggi
Langsa	Tegal
Makassar	Telok Betong
Medan	Tjilatjap
Padang	Weltevreden

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Acting Manager.

The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

Authorised Capital $2,000,000
Paid up Capital 2,000,000
Resreve Fund 500,000

Head Office:—2 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong
Shanghai Branch:—30 The Bund
London Bankers:—The London Joint Stock, London, City and Midland Bank Ltd.
Agencies and Correspondents in the principal Commercial centres of the world.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted
Loans granted on approved securities
Fixed and current deposit accounts opened on terms according to arrangement.

RUE CHENG,
Acting Manager.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908

Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Capital .. 81,425.61
Resources 10,000,000.00

Head Office and Branches:
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, and Lanchi.

Domestic Agencies:
Throughout CHINA at principal Cities.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, Amsterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodata, Seoul, Fusan, Hongkong, Hamburg and Berlin.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and fixed Deposits according to arrangements.

Savings Accounts at 4% compound interest.

Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

LI MING,
Manager.

SHANGHAI BRANCH,
U39 Peking Road.
Tel. C. 3145, Mgr's, Office and C. 2147, Gen'l. Office
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK" Shanghai.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars. 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire.. 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Branches: Peking, Shanghai, Tientsin
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano, Banca Italiana di Sconto, Banco di Roma.
London: Credit Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Credit Commercial de France.
United States: Italian Discount Co., Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga.
Switzerland: Banca Union di Credito.

Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U.S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.

General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.

Telegraphic Address: Banksinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Rd.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
G. GIACHINO; ROBERT LEE
Managers.

BANKERS TRUST COMPANY

THE Bankers Trust Company, one of the largest institutions in New York, has resources of more than $400,000,000. It is equipped to handle and does handle trust and banking matters of the weightiest importance. Some of the America's greatest business enterprises do the bulk of their banking with this Company.

This is one of the nine great American banks which are stockholders in the Asia Banking Corporation.

CAPITAL $4,000,000
SURPLUS $1,100,000

ASIA BANKING CORPORATION
an American Institution

BRANCH OFFICES
PEKING—TIENTSIN—HANKOW—HONGKONG—CANTON—CHANGSHA—SINGAPORE—MANILA

HEAD OFFICE IN THE UNITED STATES
35 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY

HEAD OFFICE FOR THE FAR EAST
Kiukiang and Kiangse Roads
SHANGHAI

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917).

Statutes approved by the Government in 1918
Head Office: TIENTSIN

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital $1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... $ 124,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
			Cincinatti

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.

Shanghai Branch:
8441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchage business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits, both in taels and dollars, according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved accurities.

Y. R. Sun, Manager
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager

PARK-UNION FOREIGN BANKING CORPORATION

Capital G.$4,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits G.$754,000

HEAD OFFICE, 56 WALL ST., NEW YORK
BRANCHES:
SAN FRANCISCO SEATTLE
PARIS TOKYO YOKOHAMA
CANADA—400 branches of the Union Bank of Canada
Shanghai Branch: 7 Kiukiang Road, Tel. C. Nos. 5874 & 5875.
CURRENT & FIXED DEPOSITS

Accepted in Taels, Mexican Dollars, U. S. Dollars, Canadian Dollars, Sterling, on Application.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

F. V. REILLY,
Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

Capital ..... $ 1,000,000.00
Reserve ..... $ 200,000.00

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road

CORRESPONDENTS ABROAD:

LONDON	NEW YORK	PARIS
BERLIN	AMSTERDAM	TOKYO
SEATTLE	SAN FRANCISCO	MANILA
CHICAGO	SINGAPORE	OSAKA

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital ...	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

(Formerly Commercial and Industrial Bank of China)

Established by American and Chinese Capitalists under Special Charter of the Government of China issued April 12th, 1919.

Authorized Capital G.$10,000,000
Paid-up Capital 5,000,000

HEAD OFFICE:
198 Hsi Ho Yen, Peking
President:
The Honorable Chien Nen-shun.
American Vice-President:
James A. Thomas, Esq., Peking.
Chinese Vice President:
Hsu Un-yuan, Esq., Peking.
NEW YORK AGENTS:
The Chase National Bank, The American Foreign Banking Corporation, and Hayden, Stone & Co.
Branches in China:
Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Hankow, Shihkiachwang, Tsinau, Harbin and agents in important cities.
Manila Branch:
Manila, P. I.

Current Accounts opened as usual terms. Fixed Deposits received at rates to be ascertained on application. Drafts issued and Telegraphic Transfers made. Foreign exchanges bought and sold. Commercial and Circular Letters of Credit issued. Bills, Checks, and other Documents collected. Purchase and Sale of Stocks and Bonds effected. Every description of General Banking Business transacted.

The Bank is closely associated with a number of the leading Financial Institutions in the United States and also prominent Chinese Capitalists in China, and is prepared to give financial facilities and to assist its clients in initiating and developing solid commercial and industrial undertakings in China.

Your account will be welcomed at this Bank, where you are assured of absolute security and the most courteous service.

Shanghai Branch:
No. 11 Nanking Road.
Tel. Central Nos. 5841, 5842.
Sooyii K. Shen, acting Manager.
Louis Shen, Assistant Manager

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915).

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital $12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund ... $1,228,522.00
Special Reserve Fund ... $1,228,522.00

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka, Yokohama.
SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 HANKOW ROAD.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG.
Manager.
Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

Siccawei Weather Reports

23.—The pressure has decreased all over China. The depression signalled travelling from Southern Mongolia towards the Sea of Japan is now being felt over Northern Nippon. Unsteady and light breezes on the Yellow and on the Eastern Seas. Moderate monsoon in the South. Very mild and fine weather in Central and Southern China.

24.—Very fine and mild morning. Steady and normal pressure. The wind is backing from the N.E. to the N.W.

-:- Financial And Commercial News -:-

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Quotations Closing
Banks	
H. K and S. B.	$810 B.
Chartered	£71½
Russo-Asiatic	Rs. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	H.$406 B.
North China	Tls. 158
Union of Canton	H.$235 B.
Yangtsze	$24½
Far Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.	Tls. 20
Fire Insurances	
China Fire	H.$125 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$318 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$195 B.
Indo-China Pref.	H.$25 B.
"Shell"	100/- B.
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 50
Shanghai Tug pref	Tls. 36 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 27
Oriental Cons.	17/-
Raub	Tls. 0.75 B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$172 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 128 B.
New Eng. Works	Tls. 31½ S.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 145
Hongkong Wharf	Tls. 86 B.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 82½ B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 81 B.
Weihaiwei Land	Tls. 8
S'hai Hotel Ltd.	Tls. 55
China Realty (ord.)	Tls. 50
China Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 385
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 82 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 385
Oriental	Tls. 17¼
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 121
Kungyik	Tls. 36
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 24¼
Yangtszepoo Pref.	Tls. 82 B.
Industrials	
Butter Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	Tls. 264 B.
Green Island	Tls. 12 S.
Langkats	Tls. 14 S.
Major Bros	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 98
Stores	
Hall & Holtz	$9 B.
Llewellyn	$80
Lane, Crawford	$85 B.
Moutrie	$40
Watson	Tls. 8.20 B.
Weeks	$11¼ B.
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 3 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.10 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 5.90 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 20
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.40 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 2
Bute	Tls. 0.60
Chemor United	Tls. 0.40 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 4
Cheng	Tls. 1¼
Consolidated	Tls. 1¼ B.
Dominion	Tls. 4 S.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 4½ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 7½
Kamunting	Tls. 1½ B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.10 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 10
Karan	Tls. 7
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 1¼ B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 10
Padang	Tls. 6
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 8
Permata	Tls. 0.50 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.50
Samagaga	Tls. 0.45 B.
Seekee	Tls. 2
Semambu	Tls. 0.50 B.
Senawang	Tls. 3½
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.30 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 3
S'hai Malay pref	Tls. 8
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 2
Sungala	Tls. 0.50
Sungei Duri	Tls. 6½
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3¼
S'hai Kalantan	Tls. 0.55
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.60
Taiping	Tls. 0.60
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.60
Tehong	Tls. 11
Ulobri	Tls. 2½
Xiangbe	Tls. 2½ B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 835
Cuity Dairy	Tls. 10
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 82½ B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 16 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 40½
Shanghai Mercury	Tls. 25
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 77
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 115 B.

S. Sellers. Sa. Sales. B. Buyers.

Benjamin and Potts, 8 Jinkee Rd.

Telephone No. Cen. 398

Stock Exchange Transactions

Shanghai, February 24, 1921

OFFICIAL

Anglo Javas Tls. 5.90
Langkats (Com.) Tls. 13.00
Shanghai Cotton Tls. 120.00
Shanghai Docks Tls. 129.00 Cash
Tls. 130.00 March
Shanghai Lands Tls. 82.00
Consolidated Tls. 1.40

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, February 24, 1921

Exchange and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate,
@ 3/3 = Tls. 6.15
@ exch. 72 = Mex. $8.55
Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate
@ 63½ = Tls. 1.57
@ exch. 72 = Mex. $2.19
Mex. Dollars Market Rate: 71.75
Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 361
Bar Silver 998 touch .. Tls. 111
Copper Cash ... per tael 201.000
Native Interest ..... Tls. —

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ..... 32¾ d.
Bank Rate of Discount 7%
Ex., Paris on London .. Fr. 53.84
Ex., New York on London G.$3.88¾

Exchange Closing Quotations

London ..... T.T. 3/2½
London ..... Demand 3/2¾
India ..... T.T. 253
Paris ..... T.T. 865
Paris ..... Demand 868
New York ..... T.T. 62½
New York ..... Demand 62¾
Hongkong ..... T.T. 74½
Japan ..... T.T. 77
Batavia ..... T.T. 183½
Singapore ..... T.T. 72

Bank's Closing Buying Rates

London ..... Demand 3/4½
London .... 4 m-s. Cdts. 3/5½
London .... 4 m-s. Docy. 3/6
London .... 6 m-s. Cdts. 3/6¾
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Shanghai, February 24, 1921
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It. Lire 27.10 = 1 U.S. Dollar
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„ 24.90 June
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„ 136.20 April
„ 136.00 May
„ 135.60 June

Sharebrokers' Association Transactions

Shanghai, February 24, 1921

OFFICIAL

Anglo Javas Tls. 6.00

UNOFFICIAL

Shanghai Hotels $55.00
Repah Tls. 0.40

Hongkong Share Market

Messrs. Moxon and Taylor write as follows in their weekly share report dated Hongkong, February 18.

Our market has been fairly active during the past week, and prices have advanced in most stocks.

The Shanghai market has also been more active and closes with prices considerably over last week's.

Rubber remains neglected.

Hongkong Banks:—Have come to business at $790, and close firm at the rate.

Cantons:—Have again had considerable rise and close with buyers at $420 without inducing sellers to come out.

Unions:—Have risen to $245 and close with buyers at the rate.

Wharfs:—Are now wanted at $89 ex. dividend.

Hongkong Docks:—Rose during the week to $176 at which price they are steady.

Deferred Indos:—Have also had a considerable rise during the week and close with buyers at $240, London register, and $225 Hongkong register.

China Sugars:—Are steady at $264.

Douglases:—Are firm with buyers at $65.

Steamboats:—Are wanted at $24½.

Trams:—Have also a considerable rise and close with buyers at $9.80 with few shares coming out.

Hongkong Electrics:—Are also in good demand and are wanted at $19.

Cements:—Are firm at $12.

Star Ferries:—Close with buyers at $28½.

Powells:—Are in demand at $20.

Shanghai Tramways

The following is the Traffic Return of the Shanghai Tramways (Foreign Settlement) for the week ended February 23, 1921, with figures for the corresponding week last year:

	1921	1920
Gross receipts	$53,168.53	$44,790.10
Loss by currency depreciation	15,491.31	11,441.61
Effective receipts	$37,677.22	$33,348.49
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	30.60	26.92
Car miles run	99,485	84,539
Passengers carried	2,304,152	1,931,488

Freight Market

Messrs. Wheelock and Company write as follows in their freight market report of yesterday.

There was no issue of this Circular a fortnight ago on accout of the China New Year Holidays and the situation in our Outward Freight markets today is as follows:

To United Kingdom and Continent.—The position remains most unsatisfactory, both to Exporters and the Shipping Companys: the volume of business passing is wholly insignificant and this applies to every item of China produce in which trade normally exists with Europe.

To United States via Pacific and via Panama and Suez.—There is still a little silk going forward via Pacific but otherwise there is no general cargo to speak of offering on any of these routes.

Coastwise.—Since writing a month ago the coasting trade has revived somewhat and with the approach of the opening of the Northern Ports we look to see things improve still further.

Reports from the South show that rates are hardening and we hope this is an indication of what may occur later on in the North.

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Coal Market

Messrs. Wheelock and Company write as follows in their coal market report of yesterday.

Japan Coal.—There has been a little more activity in this market since the China New Year holidays and there is a certain amount of enquiry going on amongst Native dealers, both for lump and dust coals; prices in Japan however, for lump are still far too high for buyers' ideas, especially at the present rate of exchange, but dust coal being cheaper, is easier to negotiate and a small amount of business is being put through.

Fushun Coal.—No change.

Kaiping Coal.—Very little change has taken place since last writing.

Owing to the China New Year the market has, as usual, remained quiet and although deliveries under contract have been regular there is little fresh business to report. Stocks are much below the average and the demand for better grades is in excess of supply.

Fuchung Coal.—Since last writing, a month ago, stocks on the spot have been increased and shipments are arriving regularly. Since the New Year holidays quite a brisk demand has sprung up and a fair business has been done at quotations.

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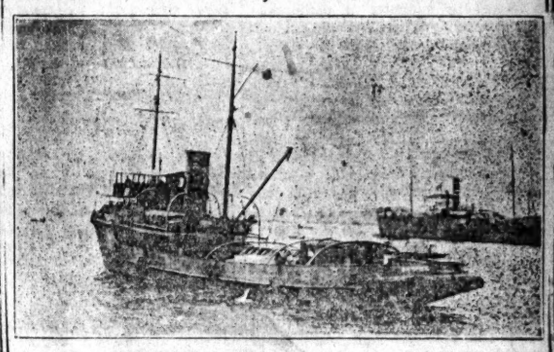

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WEATHER

Fine and cold weather. Strong winds between North and Northwest on the Yellow and Eastern Seas. Moderate monsoon with local calms and mist in the South. Rough weather on the Sea of Japan.

DEATH

LOPES: On February 24th, 1921, at his residence, No. 22 Range Road, Lino Jose Lopes, in his 70th year. Requiem Mass at the Church of Sacred Heart today, (25th), at 8 a.m., and the funeral will take place at the Bubbling Well Cemetery at 5 p.m.

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For America To Act

(New York Times)

NO American speaks with greater authority on the subject of limiting armaments than Major Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, who served in France during the war and later attended the Peace Conference. He told the House Naval Committee on Wednesday that an American call for a disarmament conference would be welcomed by the great Powers of Europe. "Our present form of civilisation," he added, "cannot stand the great strain of military preparation much longer." Europe and Japan are looking to the United States to summon a conference, and the American people should understand why. Great Britain has stopped capital ship construction altogether. "No heavily gunned and adequately protected capital ship," says Archibald Hurd, the British writer, "has been laid down on this [the British] side of the Atlantic during the past six years." After the armistice the Admiralty scrapped the Anson, Howe and Rodney, sister ships to the Hood, Great Britain's giant battle cruiser, which is not as powerful as the American battleship Maryland (now 85 percent completed) will be. Great Britain has also abandoned 608 warships of various types that were under construction, and has placed many obsolete or obsolescent ships on the ineffective list. What more could she do in a practical way for the cause of limitation of armaments?

Since the armistice the United States and Japan have continued to lay down and construct capital ships. The only competition in building warships is between these two nations, but Japan is poor by comparison with the United States and would always be far behind in naval strength, as she is today. A year ago Admiral Kato said in London that Japan would like to see a general agreement for disarmament: "We are waiting to see what is done in that way by the other great Powers of the world." There are only three great sea Powers today, Great Britain, the United States and Japan. The United States is carrying out her three-year program authorised in 1916 when war with Germany appeared imminent and unavoidable to the Washington strategists. The Naval act of 1916 authorised "a continuous building program comprising 156 war vessels, with 16 capital ships, the largest number ever provided for at one time by any nation," as Secretary Daniels says in his last annual report. It was a war program, not a peace program. No one could foresee how long the great conflict, into which the United States was drawn the following year, would last.

Japan is expanding her navy to protect her intersts in Asia, and it is possible that in some quarters there is fear of a collision with the United States. With her available resources Japan is building powerful capital ships like our battleship Maryland and our battle cruiser Lexington, and she is standing the economic stram badly. It is because the United States is doing more building than any other nation, while approving of limitation of armaments; because it is by far the richest of nations and should be the most influential, and because the machinery exists in the Naval act of 1916 for calling a conference, that Great Britain and Japan are looking to the United States to summon a disarmament conference.

The greatest navy in the world or limitation of armaments, is the "slogan" of Secretary Daniels. At the hearing of the House Naval Affairs Committee on Wednesday he produced statistics from an unknown hand designed to show that today the United States is a poor second to Great Britain as a naval Power, and that if Japan carries out her 1927 program, which is little better than an abstraction at the present time, the American and Japanese navies will be only as 2 to 1 in battleships and 1 to 1.5 in battle cruisers. The British and United States navies in first line of battle strength are much closer together than the "tonnage" statistics compiled for Mr. Daniels would indicate, and when the four battleships of the 1916 program most advanced in construction, the Colorado, Maryland, Washington and West Virginia, 16-inch-gun ships of 32,600 tons, are completed, the two battle fleets will be about equal in fighting strength. That time is not far off. Before the war there was no demand in the United States for the greatest navy in the world, and if there was any need for it then, there is [illegible] now. War with Germany, the second navy Power, came, and she has ceased to be a naval Power. In 1914 there had been peace with Great Britain for one hundred years, and war with her now is inconceivable. Japan's navy is a poor third today. From whatever point of view the calling of a limitation conference is considered, the United States is indicated as the nation to make the advances, to take the lead. A conference has been more talked about in America than in all the world besides. As General Bliss says, "the masses of the people who pay the taxes have the vital interest in the subject." They will decide.

"Mysterious and Militar—
—y confabulations."
Proceed at Paris," Reuter says,
"With warlike preparations;"
So if the German will not stand
By Treaty obligations,
There will be war,
Much as before
We had the "League of Nations."

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THOSE CHICKENS!

"Chicken Saves His Life, Routs Mother-In-Law" reads the headline in yesterday's CHINA PRESS.

It is usually a "chicken" that leads a man to acquire a mother-in-law but usually the acquisition is the victor. In this case the chicken can crow.

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Dispatches state, from Washington,
That the negotiations
Twixt France, Great Britain and the States,
Are minus altercations;
But in the question with Japan
Unless 'tis nought but fable
The little Jap
Says "We want Yap
And the Ex-German Cable."

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WHY SHE WON'T MARRY

It was announced recently that Miss Mary Garden, the famous opera singer (who, by the way, was born in Aberdeen), is returning from America to the land of her birth to stand for Parliament.

On one occasion some American reporters asked her "Say, Mary, why don't you marry?"

"Boys," was her rejoinder, "I have never met a man who is my intellectual superior, and until I do, I won't."

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RANDOM READING

Much depends on *when* and *where* you read a book. In the five or six impatient minutes, before the dinner is quite ready, who would think of taking up the Faery Queen for a stop-gap, or a volume of Bishop Andrewes' sermons?

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Milton almost requires a solemn service of music to be played before you enter upon him. But he brings music, to which, who listens had need bring docile thoughts, and purged ears.

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Winter evenings—the world shut out—with less of ceremony the gentle Shakespeare enters. At such a season the Tempest, or his own Winter's Tale—

These two poets you cannot avoid reading aloud—to yourself, or to some single person listening. More than one—and it degenerates into an audience.

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Mary Lamb in her 'Poetry for Children' has a couple of quaint little stanzas that have to do with reading and kiddies:

I saw a boy with eager eye
Open a book upon a stall,
And read, as he devoured it all;
Which, when the stall-man did espy,
Soon to the boy I heard him call,
"You Sir, you never buy a book,
Therefore in one you shall not look."
The boy passed slowly on, and with a sigh
He wish'd he never had been taught to read,
Then of the old churl's books he should have had no need.

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Of sufferings the poor have many,
Which never can the rich annoy
I soon perceived another boy,
Who looked as if he had not any
Food, for that day at least—enjoy
The sight of cold meat in a tavern larder.
This boy's case, then thought I, was surely harder,
Thus hungry, longing, thus without a penny,
Beholding choice of dainty dress-ed meat:
No wonder if he wish he ne'er had learned to eat.

EDISON'S 'LIFE UNITS'

Hundred Trillion In Human Body May Scatter After Death—Machine To Register Them

BY A. D. ROTHMAN

Without a peer in the field of scientific invention, Thomas Edison has announced his entrance into a new sphere, that of psychic research. This may or may not strike one as surprising. Great scientists of this and a previous day have engaged themselves with the problems that come after chemistry and physics. Lodge, noted as a physicist, is now better known as a psychist Hyslop was a psychologist of note before his ventures into the great untried field of the hereafter. The number of prominent investigators is large. McDougall, noted psychologist, has cast his lot with those who see in an examination of spiritiicism a vast enterprise yet to be properly exploited. But it can be safely asserted that no one today has approached the myriad problems that nestle within the heart of the greater problem of the life hereafter with half the skill or scientific acumen that has Mr. Edison.

Announcements of Mr. Edison's enterprise have been greatly misunderstood. The great inventor has been disappointed and at times amused at the treatment his new undertaking has received at the hands of the public. Fellow-scientists have looked askance; clericals have warned him not to trespass on lands not his own; while some well-educated persons have tended to quarrel with him concerning terms, the goal set, and the methods employed. Discouragement, however, is a characteristic so thoroughly foreign to this man of science that he is pursuing his investigations without a thought to the commentators or critics. Far and above everything else he feels that his investigations are worth while—whether success attends them is not the sole criterion. He knows that many will quarrel with him, many will misunderstand him. But he knows, too, that ten million men and women who have lost dear ones in the war are hungering for word or knowledge as to the existence of life after the life we know. If his investigations can give them comfort, he thinks he will be well repaid; if the results of his inquiries add to the total knowledge of the elusive phenomena of life and after-life he will be satisfied with that contribution to science.

NOT A MYSTIC OR SPIRITIST

Mr. Edison is an old man by the count of years. In mental vigor he is vitally young. Called upon to explain his theories and beliefs, his problems and aspirations in the new venture, it was remarkable to note facility with which he found examples and figures from everyday existence to illustrate some subtle or difficult point. There wasn't a token of the mystic or spiritist about him. He spoke in terms of science, in terms of common sense, in terms of the day-in-and-day out things of life; his mind dwelt only upon a logical problem; his eyes looked only into a world where energies and forces and their interplay were objects perceived. He hasn't renounced science from any point of view as concerns his new problems. It is Mr. Edison, the scientist, that is applying all his powers and all his knowledge to the questions of life and death and life thereafter.

"I do not know what the word 'spiritual' means," he said every time that the writer used the word in the course of two interviews with Mr. Edison. "I am not interested in matters of spirit. I am conducting a laboratory experiment."

The writer was unwilling to give up the idea. He had traveled twice to Orange, the center of activity of the inventor, after some correspondence with Mr. Edison and the latter's associate and assistant, Mr. Meadowcroft, thinking that the "spiritual" idea might be developed. He had pointed out to Mr. Edison, in the letter preceding the first invitation to Orange, that nothing could equal the "great interest the question of personal immortality has aroused in English-speaking countries at the present time, due especially to the war."

Further he had written to Mr. Edison that the "cycle of belief, first in the efficacy and all-importance of material things, and then in idealism, again gave way to a confidence in the potency of machinery and science during the war; followed in turn by the post-war period of faith in spiritual things. But movement at this stage is not just merely idealist. It is tinctured by a strong spiritistic element. Mothers, sisters, wives and sweethearts who have lost their beloved in the war, find their souls hungering for them. They search for the assurance that these lost are persisting in a life hereafter. Nowhere, I think, has this spiritistic feeling taken such great sway as in British countries and English-speaking lands. The number of famous men who have declared that they are in possession of complete evidence of the existence of departed ones is large; the army of mediums and hoogie-boogies who falsely and maliciously mislead the trusting and bereft has grown; the true believers in personal immortality, the life hereafter, have multiplied into a vast host. Here is the situation: You, it becomes known, are investigating the problem, the question whether personality persists after so-called 'body-death.' The confidence in you throughout the world is great. People everywhere are anxiously awaiting word from you."

WORKING ON HIS MACHINE

Mr. Edison, however, was not desirous of discussing spiritualism or delving deeply into the questions surrounding personal immortality. He was even very reluctant to discuss the machine he was reported to be building for the apprehension of messages from the dead. He did admit that he was engaged—had been engaged for a number of years—in the construction of such an apparatus. He even indicated the principle upon which he felt it would work, namely, upon the principle of control, whereby a man with one-eighth of a horsepower is able to set into motion machinery with hundreds of thousands of horsepower. Beyond that, however, he was not prepared at the present time to speak. He emphasised during both of the writer's visits to Orange that the public could not possibly be interested just now in a technical explanation of mechanistic theory and practice lying behind the apparatus. What the public is interested in, Mr. Edison pointed out, is results only, and that was what he was striving for.

During the first interview with the famous scientist, the writer listened to a general explanation of Mr. Edison's theories concerning life, and a review of the whole subject which had gained so much popular attention. At the interview following, a series of ten questions was submitted to Mr. Edison, based on the first talk. To many of these questions Mr. Edison asked that the matter of the previous interview and more specifically earlier outgivings be applied in answer. At the same time, he interspersed here and there further explanation of the difficult subject, in the desire to make clear things probably subtle to the lay mind. The high lights of Mr. Edison's theory of life, death and the life thereafter are thus outlined.

Mr. Edison does not believe that any part of man, whether it be his body or mind, is other than the result of physico-chemical reactions. Life he conceives as a series of "units" motivated by physical and chemical reactions. Memory, or that part of life which goes to make up the complex of emotions, feelings, desires, tendencies and intrinsic peculiarities of the individual, Mr. Edison believes to be our personalities. These personalities are various groups of units within the larger group that constitutes life. When so-called "death" appears to drive life from our bodies Mr. Edison thinks that our personality "units" do not die, but continue to exist as substantial material things. That they are not perceptible to human senses even with the aid of instruments is because they are infinitely small—far smaller than the human mind can conceive. He estimates that the human body is composed of 1000,000,000,000,000 of these units. Even huge aggregates of them are not sufficiently large to be apprehended by the human senses, no matter what existing artificial help they enlist.

Asked for a specific exposition of his "unit theory" of life, for use as a quotation in this article, Mr. Edison asked that a former statement setting forth concisely his ideas on the subject be used. In this publication [The Cosmopolitan Magazine] Mr. Edison stated:

"I believe that life, like matter, is indestructible. There has always been a certain amount of life in this world, and there will always be the same amount. You cannot create life; you cannot destroy life; you cannot multiply life.

"I believe our bodies are composed of myriads and myriads of infinitesimal entities, each in itself a unit of life, which band together to build a man. We have taken for granted that each of us is a unit. We think of a cat, an elephant, a horse, a fish and so on as units. I am convinced that such thinking is basically wrong. All these things appear to be units only for the reason that the life entities of which I speak are far too small to be detected even with the ultramicroscope.

"In our bodies these entities constantly rebuild our tissues to replace those which are constantly wearing out. They watch after functions of the various organs, just as the engineers in a power house see that the machinery is kept in perfect order. Once conditions in the body become unsatisfactory in the body, either through a fatal sickness, fatal accident or old age, the entities simply depart from the body and leave little more than an empty structure behind. Being indefatigable workers, they naturally seek something else to do. They either enter into the body of another man or even start work on some other form of life. At any rate, there is a fixed number of these, and it is the same entities that have served over and over again."

"UNITS" IN PLANT LIFE

Mr. Edison illustrated to the writer how a "plant" which to the casual observer appears as a complete unit is really the composite of a great number of units.

"There is a plant known as the 'sea-bush,'" he said, "which grows in the ocean. It illustrates by synthesis what I have attempted to illustrate by analysis—that life is composed of an aggregate of individuals. It grows through the efforts of insects."

The inventor broke off to take a pencil from his pocket and draw a picture of the plant. His hand moved firmly as it sketched the simple, flowing lines of the sea-bush. He resumed.

"These insects, by infinite labor, build up this wavy, feathery little tree. Unit upon unit they construct it until the whole thing is complete. We look upon the whole of it and think it is a unit. It is not a unit. Like man, it is an aggregate of units."

Mr. Edison made a rough estimate of the number of entities he believed composed the body of the individual man.

"One with fourteen ciphers after it denotes the number—at least one hundred trillion entities go to make up a single man. I estimate roughly that there are about 20,000,000,000 cells in the body, and each cell is a commune of 5,000 entities."

Further light on the "unit theory" is cast by other of Mr. Edison's expressions. For instance, he has stated:

"The individuals in the aggregate which we call 'a man,' the members of the swarm which (to some extent by chance) have collected to make that man, are 95 percent workers and 5 percent directors. The workers cannot stop even though something may compel them from their habitat, that which has been the 'body' of 'a man.' They must go to something else to build, as, for instance, to corn, a tree, grass—whatever may be—always working under the direction of the higher type among them. These, by the way, will be responsible, as they dominate or fail to, or in accordance with their aspirations, for the character of that which now is built.

BAD AND GOOD MEN

"In the case of a 'man,' for example, he may be 'bad' or 'good,' in accordance with the trend of these dominant individuals or in accordance with the majority quality of the individuals which have gathered, more or less by chance, in the swarm which makes him up. He is 'good' if 'good' individuals are more numerous in it and dominate, and 'bad' if the reverse occurs.

"Instances of startling ability, such as that, for example, which characterise a Rockefeller, are beginning to indicate to me the chance gathering into swarms of individuals in which qualities of a certain kind are paramount."

The second question asked Mr. Edison was:

"Can the 'unit theory' be applied to the 'personality'?"

In this instance Mr. Edison

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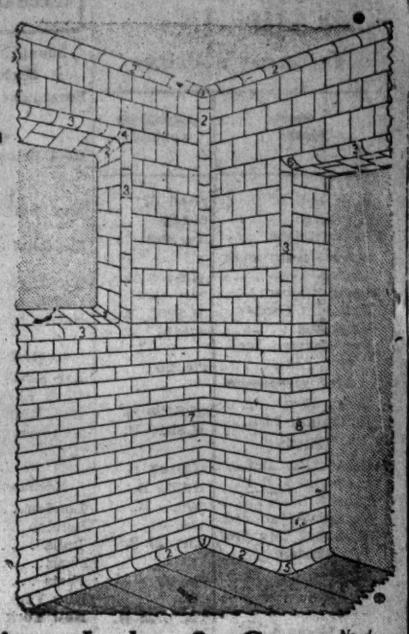

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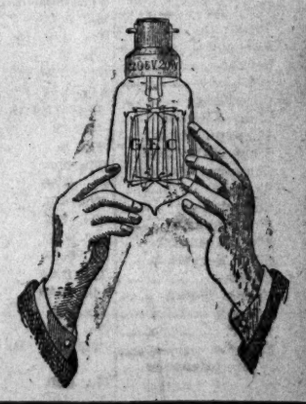

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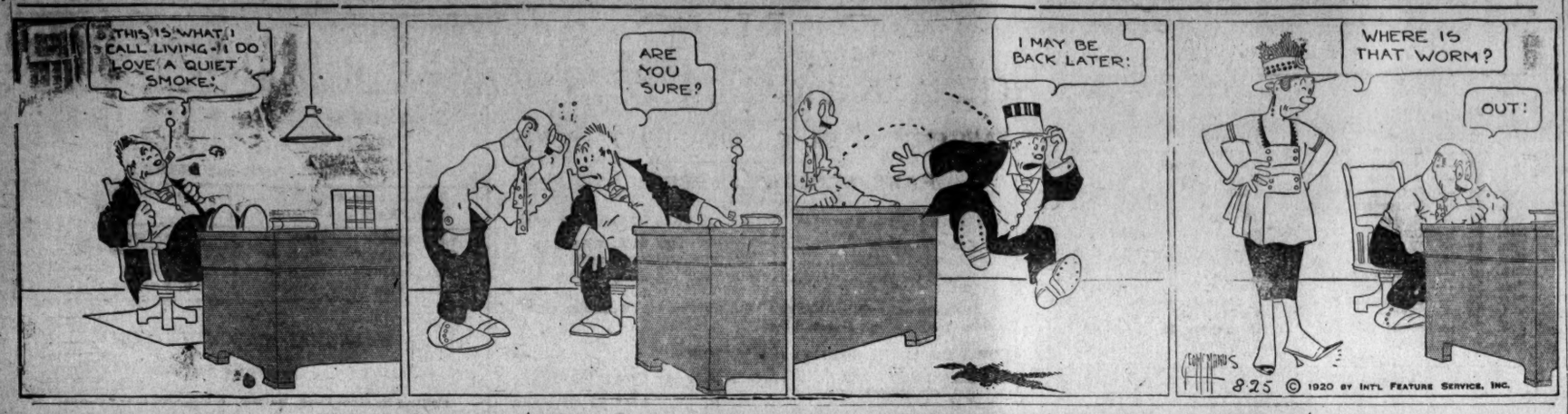
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EDISON'S 'LIFE UNITS'

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again referred to earlier scripts, which recorded the inventor's opinion as follows:

"Numerous experiments conduced by medical scientists have revealed that the memory is located in a certain section of the human brain called the fold of Broca. If the units of life which compose an individual's memory hold together after that individual's 'death,' is it not within range of possibility, to say the least, that these memory swarms could retain the powers they formerly possessed, and thus retain what we call the individual's personality after 'dissolution' of the body? If so, then that individual's memory, or personality, ought to be able to function as before."

From the foregoing paragraph it can be seen that Mr. Edison conceives personality to be virtually nothing more than memory as amplified by pre-natal determination of character and mental equipment. Some of the greatest thinkers of our day agree with Mr. Edison on that score. Without memory not a single accomplishment that is especially characteristic of man as differentiated from the beast would be possible. Without memory every effort would be like finding one's way up an unknown street in an unknown world totally unlike our own, and no matter how often one traveled that street always the same difficulty would attend progress thereon. An attempt to conceive life without memory makes of the former a veritable nightmare. Memory exists in the simplest forms of life in the guise of habit or instinct. Without memory in one form or another, life would probably disappear from the face of the earth forthwith.

MEMORY AND 'PERSONALITY'

Memory is the close kin of personality. Our past, the events and quality of our lives previous to this moment, is carried by each of us with him into the future. The things he has learned, the important record of what he has felt, believed, aspired, what he has been and hoped to be, each man takes with him from yesterday into today and from today he will carry it into tomorrow. This memory as it is applied to the conditions that confront a man each moment is his personality.

In answer to the question, "What is your conception of death?" Mr. Edison offered the following concise expression of belief:

"We say a man dies. Perhaps, in a sense, the term is accurate when the aggregate which we have called a man ceases to function as an aggregate and, therefore, no longer can be called a man; but the expression is not at all accurate if by it we mean that the life which kept that man at work or play ceases to exist. Life does not cease to exist.

"The life units which have formed that man do not die. They merely pass out of the unimportant mechanism which they have been inhabiting, which has been called a man and has been mistaken for an individual, and select some other habitat or habitats. Perhaps they become the animating force of something else or many other things."

Mr. Edison's answer to the fourth question was brief. He was asked: "Where do you think the units of personality reside after so-called 'death'?" He replied:

"These little entities of personality which I hope to detect with my apparatus are still animal entities. But who created them, or where they go after they leave a given body, I do not know. I surmise that they take up residence in another body; but I have no information on the subject."

The next question was:

"On what principle would your machine work to apprehend these units?"

The writer amplified the question by asking further how the inventor attacked the problem of approaching the task of building the machine. This the inventor answered as follows:

"What difference does that make? There are half a dozen ways of making a machine or of approaching the problem.

"The principle upon which the apparatus is planned is that of control. A man with very puny strength sets into motion a machine with power infinitely greater than his own."

The sixth question: "How would you describe your apparatus" Mr. Edison declared to be relatively unimportant. The interest of the people, he indicated, would be centered in whether the apparatus was successful rather than a description of it.

Generally, from talks on the two occasions with the inventor, the following impression was gained concerning the apparatus Mr. Edison is working upon:

HOPES TO REGISTER "UNITS"

The units of personality are to act as a control. Just as an electric spark fires a cannon with an effect infinitely greater than the cause, just as man with his small one-eighth horse-power strength sets into motion forces his brain cannot yet compute, so Mr. Edison hopes to build a mechanism of exquisite business and great power upon which the now impalpable life units of personality will make themselves known, will register. Does this mean messages from the dead, instructions from the departed as to future conduct, descriptions of existence of souls shorn from body—all that heterogeneity of spiritistic ware that the man on the street has offered to him these days? Mr. Edison, being a scientist and not a medium, is hardly at this point concerned with this implication of his undertaking. He is not prepared to say if he succeeds in constructing an apparatus that can register the stimuli of personality units, once resident within the body and now gone from it, that it will mean the opening of free communication with the dead. What Mr. Edison does say is that should his theories prove correct and should his apparatus succeed in apprehending the stimuli it will be the first step in a correct understanding of the entire problem of life and death, and will lead the way to the development of concrete communication with the dead.

The seventh question: "Do you earnestly feel that communication with the dead can be established?" received a quick, short answer that left nothing to be desired. Mr. Edison said:

"There is a doubt. I am not sure. That's the reason I am experimenting. But if I didn't believe, I wouldn't try."

After a measure this reply was also an answer to the next question. "What measure of hope do you hold out for the thousands who have lost dear ones in the war and who desire to be assured of their existence after 'death'?" Mr. Edison held out to them all the hope that was contained in a scientific, unprejudiced investigation of a vital question. He hoped and believed he would succeed. More could not be asked of him.

Question nine was: "How long have you been engaged in your investigations and how soon do you think they may be completed?"

"I have been reading and working for fifty years. I was more closely attracted to the problem about three years ago. I was thinking of the war and the cruelty of nature. Billions of human prayers have been sent up, yet without apparent results. Millions have died. Malignant cruelty was apparent. I thought there might be a way of determining whether nature is as cruel as she appeared. Nature a tiger—this didn't look like a beneficent Providence.

"Somebody has to explain this problem. Somebody has to start working on it scientifically. I hope my activities may set moving 500 other investigators. I may work ten years more on the problem. Others may work twenty, thirty, forty years each. Two hundred years may elapse before results are attained. The airplane and steamship were really invented thousands of years ago; somebody started the work that is not yet completed.

"The ball has got to start a-rolling. I am taking a try at it."

The writer finally asked: "What is your opinion of mediums, ouija boards, table rappings, and spiritualism?"

Mr. Edison's opinions on this head were decided and brief. He is not interested in the "spirit" stuff.

"Soul, spirit doesn't mean anything to me,

"The grub, when it 'dies,' splits open. A remarkable change occurs, a butterfly comes forth. I'm investigating the butterfly existence of human life: but I have nothing to do with 'transmigration' of souls. One is scientific; the other I know nothing of."

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S'tow, H'kong & C'ton....	Tientsin	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
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Wednesday, March 2.							
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Thursday, March 3.							
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Feb. 23	—	Dairen	Tsenglee	Chi.	J. T. Co.
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Feb. 24	—	Hankow, etc.	Yohyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Feb. 24	—	Foochow	Hsinpingan	Chi.	W & Co
Feb. 24	—	Chinwangtao	Peiho	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Feb. 24	—	Rotterdam, ports	Glentara	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Feb. 24	—	Cruise	Curlew	Br.	Cruiser
Feb. 24	—	Cruise	Saga	Jap.	gun-boat
Feb. 24	—	W. C'foo, D'ren	Kweilin	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 24	—	Manila, H'kong	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N Y K.
Feb. 24	—	Chinwangtao	Kirishima M.	Jap.	K.M.A.
Feb. 24	—	New York	Toyohashi M.	Jap.	N Y K
Feb. 24	—	Balikpapan	Agwimar	Br.	A.P. C.o
Feb. 24	—	Japan	Tenju Maru	Jap.	S. Shokai
Feb. 24	—	Moji	Kurushima M.	Jap.	S.T. Co.
Feb. 24	—	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co

Arrivals

Date		From	Ships Name	Flag	Agents
Feb. 24	—	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 24	—	Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S.M.R. Co
Feb. 24	—	Chinwangtao	Halvdan	Nor.	K.M.A.
Feb. 24	—	Foochow	Haean	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 24	—	Tientsin, Chefoo	Hsinming	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 24	—	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Feb. 24	—	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 24	—	Hankow, etc.	Tachi Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Feb. 24	—	San Francisco	E. Exporter	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Feb. 24	—	London, ports	Kashmir	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Feb. 24	—	Tientsin, ports	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 24	—		Algonquin	Am.	
Feb. 24	—	Tsingtao	Sancho Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Feb. 24	—	Swatow	Wenchow	Br.	B & b
Feb. 24	—	New York, ports	Alloway	Am.	Adl. Line
Feb. 24	—	Cruise	Cricket	Br.	gunboat

Information For Mariners

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1921

High Water at Woosung Bar

(The day tides are higher than the night tides, they are about equal at 2 o'clock).

Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7½ h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Range	P.M. Time	P.M. Range
1h. 52m.	9ft. 6in.	2h. 13m.	9ft. 8in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship

(The day tides are higher than the night tides).

Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
0	58	1	19

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
9 8 p.m.	8 0 a.m.	6h. 33m.	5h. 54m.	5h. 48m.	6h. 39m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai

For February 30.29 in.
769.5 mm

Sailed from Shanghai

For San Francisco
Stockton ..... Jan. 28
Venezuela ..... Jan. 29
Sylvan Arrow ..... Jan. 29
Nile ..... Jan. 30
Shinyo Maru ..... Feb. 10
Mandarin ..... Feb. 22
For Tacoma
Hawaii Maru ..... Feb. 10
For Seattle
Kashima Maru ..... Jan. 29
Edmore ..... Jan. 30
West Jessup ..... Feb. 9
Suwa Maru ..... Feb. 20
For Los Angeles
West Hixton ..... Feb. 6
For Portland
Abercos ..... Feb. 18
For Vancouver
Empress of Japan ....Jan. 29
Empress of Russia .. Feb. 13
For New York
Lyon Maru ..... Jan. 22
Agamemnon ..... Jan. 24
Amur Maru ..... Jan. 25
Tuscan Prince ..... Jan. 29
Satsuma ..... Feb. 6
Alaska Maru ..... Feb. 18
Grace Dollar ..... Feb. 23
For London etc.
Glenluce ..... Jan. 22
City of Florence ..... Jan. 31
Delta ..... Feb. 1
Kaga Maru ..... Feb. 6
Glenamoy ..... Feb. 9
Mentor ..... Feb. 17
Yokohama Maru .... Feb. 20
Foyle ..... Feb. 21
Glentara ..... Feb. 24
For Liverpool
Anchises ..... Jan. 29
Knight Templar .... Feb. 9
Teiresias ..... Feb. 24
For Copenhagen
Chile ..... Jan. 31
For Hamburg
Deucalion ..... Jan. 29
Himalaya Maru ..... Feb. 5
Lisbon Maru ..... Feb. 6
For Marseilles
Paul Lecat ..... Jan. 28
Armand Behic ..... Feb. 17
For Trieste
Pilsna ..... Feb. 7
For Genoa
Masaniello ..... Feb. 22
For Bombay
Dunera ..... Feb. 10
For Calcutta
Kwaisang ..... Feb. 2
Takada ..... Jan. 28
Japan ..... Feb. 5
For Newcastle
Slavic Prince ..... Jan. 22
Protuguese Prince .. Feb. 3

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Tientsin for Tsingtao: Mr. and Mrs. A. Jennings, Major G. Wilson.

Per C.N. s.s. Chinkiang for Amoy: Mr. Park.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking for Ningpo: Rev. Father A. Dejebore.

Pre C.N. s.s. Woosung for Hankow: Messrs. E. J. Burgoyne, V. J. Whitaker, R. H. Gregory, A. McVean.

Per C.N. s.s. Kansu for Hongkong: Messrs. Byrne, Hitchens.

Per Blue Funnel s.s. Teiresias for London: Capt. and Mrs. S. C. Plant and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Anderson, Mrs. Demaret and 2 children, Mrs. Monsaratt, Mrs. Samson, Mrs. Miller, Miss Andrey C. and Mstr. Geo. P. Frazier, Messrs. D. M. Whamond, L. H. Hawell and 4 children, L. Demaret, Mrs. Smythe, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burnett, Miss Stormon, Bishop Bannister, Messrs. W. R. O. McBain, G. R. Wheeler, W. Bynner, Craig Nieh, S. E. Newcomb, C. F. Harris, S. Fernihough, W. C. Muchimore.

Per I-C. s.s. Waishing for Swatow: Misses V. L. Ail, Alma Lejant; for Hongkong: Mr. G. Dietrich.

Per C.M. s.s. Kwangtah for Hongkong: Messrs. A. M. de Souzan Wu, Tsai, Zia, Chen.

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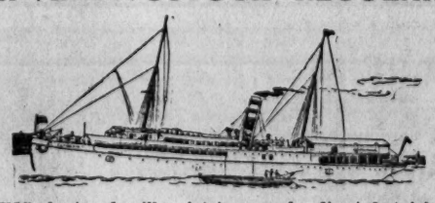

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FOR WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.
S.S. "FENGTIEN" ..... sails February 26th, 10 a.m.
S.S. "TUNGCHOW" ..... sails March 1st, 3 p.m.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and DALNY.
S.S. "KWEILIN" ..... sails February 24th, 11 a.m.

FOR HONGKONG and CANTON via SWATOW and AMOY.
S.S. "KANSU" ..... sails February 25th, noon.
S.S. "YINGCHOW" ..... sails February 26th, 3 p.m.

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Empress of Russia	Apr. 30	May 7	May 16
Empress of Japan	May 20	May 26	June 7
Empress of Asia	May 28	June 4	June 13
Monteagle	June 18	June 24	July 8

TO HONGKONG VIA MANILA
Emp. of Asia .. Feb. 27
Emp. of Russia . Mar. 27
Emp. of Asia .. May 14
Emp. of Russia . June 11

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Emp. of Japan .. May 9
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S.S. Colombia	Mar. 26	S.S. Venezuela	Apr. 2
S.S. Venezuela	Apr. 23	S.S. Golden State	Apr. 13
S.S. Golden State	Apr. 28	S.S. Ecuador	Apr. 30

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S.S. LAKE FAULK ..... about ..... Mar. 4

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TAMBA MARU	12,500	Capt. S. Natsuyama,	Mar. 5

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MITO MARU	10,000	Capt. M. Tomita,	Mar. 19

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FOR VICTORIA AND SEATTLE (Sailing from Kobe).

FUSHIMI MARU	21,000	Capt. R. Shimizu,	Mar. 13
KATORI MARU	19,000	Capt. K. Yoshikawa,	April 10
KASHIMA MARU	19,000	Capt. K. Yoshikawa,	April 10

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, NEW YORK AND BOSTON Via Panama.
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DURBAN MARU	10,000	Capt. E. Takahashi,	April 6

FOR SOUTH AMERICA (Sailing from Kobe)
For Buenos Ayres, Santos, Rio de Janeiro via Durban and Cape Town:—
FOR YOKOHAMA VIA NAGASAKI, MOJI AND KOBE.

YAWATA MARU	7,000	Capt. H. Kawai,	Mar. 1
YEIKO MARU	4,000	Capt. Y. Tomioka,	Mar. 8
AWAJI MARU	4,000	Capt. Y. Yoshida,	Mar. 11

FOR KOBE AND OSAKA VIA MOJI (Osaka may be omitted).

KUMANO MARU	9,500	Capt. K. Kobayashi,	Feb. 26
OMI MARU	7,000	Capt. K. Kobayashi,	Mar. 2
CHIKUGO MARU	5,500	Capt. M. Tsuruga,	Mar. 5
YAMASHIRO MARU	7,000	Capt. S. Saito,	Mar. 9

FOR KOBE DIRECT.

SADO MARU	12,500	Capt. U. Tanaka,	Mar. 1

FOR HONGKONG.

SUWA MARU	21,000	Capt. R. Shimizu,	April 7

FOR MANILA AND HONGKONG.

FUSHIMI MARU	21,000	Capt. R. Shimizu,	May 17

FOR AUSTRALIA (Sailing from Hongkong).
For Manila, Zamboanga, Thursday Isl., Townsville, Brishbane, Sydney, Melbourne:—

TANGO MARU	14,000	Capt. B. Saito,	Mar. 28
NIKKO MARU	10,000	Capt. J. Kusano,	April 19
AKI MARU	12,500	Capt. G. Shinomiya,	Mar. 17

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	Tons	Capt.	Arrive	Leave.
SHUNKO MARU	10,000	A. Kobayashi,	Mar. 11	Mar. 13

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AMAZON MARU	15,000	J. Konishi,	Mar. 13	Mar. 15

PUGET SOUND LINE, For Victoria, Seattle Tacoma, and Vancouver via Dairen, Kobe and Yakohama.

AFRICA MARU	18,000	Yamamoto,	Mar. 8	Mar. 10

FOR HONGKONG.

ARABIA MARU	18,000	Komiya,	Mar. 20	Mar. 21

FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS, For Dairen via Tientsin

KEELUNG MARU	3,500	N. Namisawa,	Mar. 3	Mar. 5

FOR FORMOSA, For Takao via Keelung.

FUKUKEN MARU	5,000	T. Fukami,	Feb. 23	Feb. 28

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Shipping Items

The C.M. s.s. Hwahta left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The P. and O. s.s. Nankin, from London on January 21, was expected to leave Colombo for Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai yesterday afternoon.

The China Mail s.s. Nanking left San Francisco on Thursday, February 17 and is due in Shanghai by way of Honolulu and Yokohama on March 13. The Nanking brings 920 tons of general cargo for this port and will sail for Hongkong and Manila on March 14.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s. Hangsang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Sunday.

The Portuguese Mail s.s. Quelimane left Singapore last Saturday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai by way of Saigon and Hongkong on or about March 2.

The P.M. s.s. Ecuador left Hongkong on Wednesday and is due at Woosung tomorrow morning. The Ecuador sails for San Francisco by way of Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu tomorrow evening.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The I-C. s.s. Esang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow next Monday.

The S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru arrive in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao yesterday morning and will sail for same ports at 1.30 o'clock this afternoon. The tendeer with passengers and baggage will leave the Customs jetty at 12.30 o'clock.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Titan, from United Kingdom, left Hongkong for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenapp, from London, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Monday and is due here on March 1.

The B.I. s.s. Tanda, from Calcutta on February 3, is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai tomorrow.

The Adl. Line s.s. West Campgaw left Honolulu for Yokohama on February 19.

The Glen Line s.s. Glensanda, from London, left Hongkong for Shanghai Tuesday afternoon.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangtoo will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Esang will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong left Tientsin for Lungkow and Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching will leave Foochow for Shanghai today.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yawata Maru left Nagasaki for Shanghai yesterday and is expected to arrive at the N.Y.K. Wharf tomorrow.

The P. and O. s.s. Alipore, freighter from London on Dec. 11, left Hongkong at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning and is expected to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The P. and O. s.s. Khyber, from London on Feb. 4, is expected to leave Colombo for Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai on Monday afternoon.

The Adl. Line s.s. Wytheville left New York for Manila on Feb. 19.

The S.P. s.s. Tehhsing left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Ningchow, from United Kingdom, left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The M.M. s.s. Cordillere, with the French mails of January 19, left Honolulu on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow afternoon. The Cordillere will dock at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf about 3 o'clock.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashgar left Kobe for Shanghai at 10.30 o'clock Wednesday morning and will sail from this port for London and ports on Monday. The tender Gutzlaff with passengers and baggage will leave the Customs Jetty at noon Monday.

The P. and O. s.s. Karmala, with mails transhipped from Bombay on February 4, left Hongkong at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and is due in Shanghai on Sunday morning.

The P. and O. s.s. Dilwara, from Bombay on February 8, will leave Hongkong today and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Monday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru will leave Moji for Shanghai today and is due to arrive at the N.Y.K. Wharf on Sunday.

The China Mail s.s. China will leave Hongkong today and is due at W'sung Monday morning and will sail for San F'cisco by way of Nagasaki, Yokohama and Honolulu Monday afternoon. The definite time of its arrival and departure will be announced later. Passengers are requested to deliver their heavy baggage to the Kiukiang Road Jetty between 2 and 4 p.m. tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei today.

The C.N. s.s. Kashing is due in Shanghai from Newchwang today.

The C.N. s.s. Kiukiang is due in Shanghai from Dalny today.

The C.N. s.s. Ichang is due in Shanghai from Hongkong on Sunday.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Asia is due at Woosung from Vancouver and Japan ports about midnight tomorrow night and will sail for Manila and Hongkong at noon Sunday. The tender Vulcan with all passengers and baggage will leave the Customs jetty at 8:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

Passengers Departing

Per S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru for Dairen: Mrs. Adel Ginnisbourg, Mr. and Mrs. W. Shakoff, Mr. and Mrs. Harber and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. C. McCaslin, Messrs. Bores Wasseleff, Tolkocheff, Beloff Sergri, A. F. Ollerdessen, Danilin, Drosdoff, Romanoff.

Per I-C. s.s. Koonshing for Tientsin: Messrs. W. Preston, S. J. Fuller, S. W. Fenton.

Vessels Due

Alipore, *London*	Feb. 26
Chikugo Maru, *Japan*	Mar. 2
China, *Hongkong*	Feb. 28
Changon, *Hankow*	Mar. 3
Cordillere, *Marseilles*	Feb. 26
Colombia, *S. Francisco*	Mar. 3
Dilwara, *Bombay*	Feb. 28
Ecuador, *Hongkong*	Feb. 26
Esang, *Hongkong*	Feb. 28
E. of Asia, *Vancouver*	Feb. 27
Esang, *Hankow*	Feb. 28
Feiching, *Foochow*	Feb. 27
Foochow, *Swatow*	Feb. 25
Glenapp, *London*	Mar. 1
Glensanda, *London*	Feb. 26
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Feb. 25
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Feb. 25
Hwahta, *Hankow*	Feb. 25
Hangsang, *Hongkong*	Feb. 27
Hsinkong, *Tientsin*	Feb. 27
Ichang, *Hongkong*	Feb. 27
Karmala, *Bombay*	Feb. 27
Kashgar, *Kobe*	Feb. 25
Kashing, *Newchang*	Feb. 25
Kaingteen *Ningpo*	Feb. 26
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	Feb. 26
Kiangtoo, *Hankow*	Feb. 28
Kiukiang, *Dalny*	Feb. 25
Kianghsin, *Hankow*	Mar. 1
Kobe Maru, *Dairen*	Feb. 28
Kutwo, *Hankow*	Mar. 2
Luenho, *Hankow*	Feb. 26
Luenyi, *Hankow*	Feb. 27
Monteagle, *Vancouver*	Mar. 2
Ngankin, *Hankow*	Mar. 1
Ningchow, *U. Kingdom*	Feb. 28
Omi Maru, *Japan*	Feb. 27
Poyang, *Hankow*	Feb. 26
Quelimane, *Lisbon*	Mar. 2
Suiwo, *Hankow*	Feb. 27
Sunning, *Hongkong*	Feb. 26
Szechuen, *Hongkong*	Feb. 28
Tehhsing, *Hankow*	Feb. 27
Tanda, *Calcutta*	Mar. 1
Titan, *U. Kingdom*	Feb. 26
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Mar. 3
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	Feb. 25
Woosung, *Hankow*	Mar. 4
Wuchang, *Hankow*	Feb. 28
Yawata Maru, *Japan*	Feb. 26

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Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Feb. 25	—	New York v Suez	Kentucky	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Feb. 26	—	New York v Suez	Lancaster	Am.	S. & Dix.
Feb. 26	—	San Francisco	West Cajoot	Am.	S. & Dix
Feb. 26	—	San Francisco	†Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 26	—	Portland	W. Nomentum	Am.	C. P. Co.
Feb. 28	—	San Francisco	†China	Am.	China Mail
Feb. 28	—	San Francisco	T. Stockton	Am.	Adl. Line
Mar. 1	—	Seattle	West Ison	Am.	S. & Dix.
Mar. 4	—	Seattle	Eldridge	Am.	Adl. Line
Mar. 10	—	San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Mar. 10	—	Tacoma	Africa Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Mar. 13	—	Seattle	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 15	—	N. York via Panama	Apus	Am.	S. & Dix
Mar. 15	—	New York	W. H. Webb	Am.	Adl. Line
Mar. 17	—	New York v Panama	Bessie Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Mar. 18	—	Portland	West Keats	Am.	C. P. Co.
Mar. 22	—	San Francisco	†Siberia Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Mar. 18	—	Portland, Ore.	Pawlet'	Am.	Adl. Line
Mar. 25	—	Vancouver	†E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 26	—	San Francisco	†Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 1	—	Seattle	W. Montana	Am.	A. Line
Apr. 2	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Apr. 6	—	San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
Apr. 11	—	Vancouver	†Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Apr. 23	—	San Francisco	†Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 24	—	San Francisco	†Nile	Br.	China Mail
Apr. 24	—	Seattle	Kashima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr. 28	—	San Francisco	†Golden State	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 30	—	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May 20	—	Vancouver	†E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May 28	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June 18	—	Vancouver	†Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Feb. 26	—	Kobe	Sado Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 26	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 1	—	N'saki, Kobe, N'saki	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 2	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 5	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 8	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Takeshima M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 8	—	N'saki, K., Y'hama	Yeiko M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 9	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 11	—	N'saki, K., Y'hama	Awaji Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Feb. 25	—	Rotterdam, ports	Duquesne	Am.	Adl. Line
Feb. 25	—	Rotterdam, ports	Alloway	Am.	Adl. Line
Feb. 28	noon	London, ports	†Kashgar	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Feb. 28	—	Antwerp	D. P. Benoit	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Mar. 1	—	Hamburg, ports	Tjimanoek	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
Mar. 1	—	Glasgow, ports	Titan	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 3	—	Glasgow, ports	Achilles	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 3	—	Hamburg, ports	Helenus	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 4	—	Calcutta	Lake Faulk	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 4	—	Bombay, ports	†Dilwara	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Mar. 4	—	Trieste	Hungaria	Ital.	L.T.S.N. Co.
Mar. 6	—	Liverpool, ports	Tamba Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 7	—	London	Kliest	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 8	—	London	Glenariffe	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Mar. 10	11.00*	Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Mar. 10	—	Liverpool	Telamon	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 14	—	London	†Karmala	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Mar. 14	—	London	Mishima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 15	—	London	Vige	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 15	—	Lisbon	Quellmore	Port.	B. Bros
Mar. 17	—	Liverpool, ports	Ningchow	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 18	—	Amsterdam	Alderamin	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
Mar. 21	—	London	†Kashmir	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 24	—	Glasgow, ports	K. of the Garter	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 28	—	London	†Nankin	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 31	—	Antwerp, ports	Keemun	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 1	—	Hamburg, ports	Alderamin	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
Apr. 7	—	Bombay	†Dunera	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 7	—	Liverpool, ports	Idomeneus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 7	—	Hamburg, ports	Theseus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14	—	Glasgow, ports	Ajax	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14	—	Antwerp, ports	Atreus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 21	—	Hamburg, ports	Elpenor	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 28	—	Antwerp, ports	Pyrrhus	Br.	B. & S.
May 18	—	Hamburg, ports	Boeroe	Dut.	H.C.T. Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Feb. 25	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Feb. 25	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 25	noon	S. H'kong, C'ton	Kansu	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 25	—	A. H'kong, C'ton	Kwangtah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 25	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Waishing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Feb. 26	3.30	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 26	D.L.	Foochow	Toonan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 26	D.L.	Wenchow	Haean	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 27	3.00	S. H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 27	—	Manila & Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 1	D.L.	Hongkong & Canton	Shantung	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 2	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Tientsin	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 3	D.L.	A. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 3	—	Hongkong	Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 5	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Suiyang	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 5	—	Manila & Hongkong	Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 8	—	Hongkong	Siberia Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Mar. 14	—	Hongkong & Manila	Nanking	Am.	China Mail
Mar. 15	—	Hongkong	E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Feb. 25	1.30	Tsingtau & Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S. M. R. Co.
Feb. 25	noon	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Koonshing	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Feb. 25	—	Tientsin	Hsinning	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 26	9.00	Vladivostok	Yungshin	Chi.	L.V. Lang
Feb. 26	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 26	noon	Tsingtao	Suiyang	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 27	—	Tientsin	Halvdan	Nor.	K.M.A.
Mar. 1	3.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 1	3.00	Tsingtao & Dairen	Kobe Maru	Jap.	S. M. R. Co.
Mar. 3	10.00*	Chefoo & Tientsin	Chekiang	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 6	—	Tientsin	Dukat	Nor.	K.M.A.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Feb. 25	noon	Wuhu	Foochow	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 25	noon	Wuhu	Wenchow	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Feb. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahlee	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Feb. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Mar. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 1	D.L.	Pukow	Szechuen	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tehhsing	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Mar. 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangtoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Esang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 3	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 3	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 3	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 4	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Mar. 4	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.

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Monday, February 28, 1921

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BED ROOM No. 1.—Pink Velvet Pile Carpet, Brass coal scuttle, Fine Brasses, Taffeta covered easy chairs, White painted Wardrobe, Dressing table with bevelled edge mirrors, Small cupboard, cane seated chairs, White enamel iron twin bedstead with bedding, Pink curtains, Bed linen, Pictures, Electric radiator, etc.

BED ROOM No. 2.—Axminster Carpet, Oakwood linen cupboard, Dressing table with bevelled edge mirrors, Chest of Drawers, Oakwood twin Bedstead with bedding. Cane back Cabinet, Mirror door wall cabinet, Curtains, Manila cane arm chairs, Eider down quilt, Woollen Blankets, Glass Vases, etc.

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Troop Orders for week ending March 5:

Public School Troop

Thursday, March 3.—Parade at H. Q.'s at 4 p.m., Full Uniform; Exams. for P-L's and Seconds; Troop Drill, Scout Law, Star Work, Camping, Rope work.

Saturday.—Monthly Field Day; Special Orders.

Cathedral School Troop.

Monday, Feb. 28.—Parade at 5 p.m., Full Uniform, 2nd Class Tests.

Thursday, March 3.—Parade at 5, p.m., Full Uniform; Efficiency Bandage work.

Saturday.—Monthly Field Day. See Special Orders.

French School Troop.

Thusday, March 1.—Parade at Headquarters, Full Uniform; Tenderfoot Tests.

Saturday.—Monthly Field Day. See Special Orders.

Thomas Hanbury Troop.

Thursday, Feb. 24.—Noon: Patrol drill under P-Leaders (lions excepted). 5 p.m.: Patrol Instruction under P-Leaders.

Friday.—Noon: Patrol Drill under Seconds, whole Troop. 5 p.m.: Patrol Instruction under P-Leaders.

Monday.—Noon: Staff and Patrol drill under P-Leaders (Lions excepted). 5 p.m.: Camp fire yarn for P-Leaders only by Scoutmaster.

WOLF CUBS

Monday, Feb. 21.—Monday, Feb. 28.—Routine as arranged by "Akela."

The District Scoutmaster is very glad to be able to report the arrival of Scoutmaster Looker who has offered to take charge of the French School Troop immediately. A hearty welcome is extended to Mr. Looker and it is trusted that this is but the beginning of a long connection with the Shanghai B.P's.

Col. R. Marr Johnson, C.M.G., D.S.O., and E. C. Pearce, Esq., have kindly consented to take seats on the Scout Council where their advice and counsel will be invaluable.

An Officers' Meeting will be held on Friday at 5:15 at the Church House, when various matters of importance are to be discussed.

It is with great pleasure that we are able to announce that the Rotary Club have offered to present a large Silver Shield for competition among the scouts of Shanghai. Details of the competition have not yet been settled but it is understood that the competitors will be limited to scouts in and attached to the B. P. Association and the American Scouts. The B. P.'s are very grateful to the gentlemen belonging to this Club for the way in which they have come forward with offers of help. These offers will be accepted as soon as all the Troops are properly organised and in full working order.

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